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Some of the best land in Morgan county, belonging to the estate of the late Thomas Butler, and located one-half mile north of Woodson and five miles south of Jacksonville will be offered at a partition sale to be held Saturday, Feb. 8th at 2 p. m. at the south door of the court house. The terms of the sale will be cash in hand and the land will be offered in six different tracts. There are three tracts of forty acres each, two of seventy-four, and one of twenty and fifty-six. This will certainly be a splendid opportunity to purchase some high grade Morgan county soil admirably located.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

Funeral services for Owen Luby will be held Monday morning at the Church of the Visitation in Alexander and interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery at New Berlin.

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J. H. S. UNMERCIFULLY SLAUGHTERS VISITORS.

Representatives of Fulton County Institution Were Lost in the Skirmish Against Local School—Faculty Wins From Seniors.

Canton High school, who boasts of having more basketball spirit and more basketball players in training than any other high school in this part of the state, sent a team to Jacksonville last night that was fairly swamped by the local high school five, the score being 113 to 9. The slaughter was terrible, the visitors only getting eight points in the first half against Jacksonville's 43, and in the second half only one point against the locals' 70. Referee Smith, who by the way has charge of athletics at Canton, made a statement last night that the men of the first team had been suspended on account of breaking the training rules, relative to smoking.

While the spirit of the five who represented Canton is respected, the big crowd was disappointed last night and was of the opinion that the management at Canton did not do the right thing in sending such a squad. With all the wealth of material which the school claims to possess in the way of basketball, the Fulton county institution should have had at least ten men who were able to give a splendid account of themselves.

There are always two sides to a pancake. The other side is that the good condition and playing ability of the local bunch was in evidence and the enormous score they piled up against the Cantonsites will probably never be duplicated against another school on the Strawn floor. Coach Buland's men have been in hard practice for the game and they were in fine condition for the fray. The local men made baskets so fast that the scorekeepers almost ran out of pencil and chalk. It was one continual round of basket-making, until the rosters almost yelled themselves hoarse. The humiliation the J. H. S. boys gave the visitors in the second half, when they scored 70 points against 1, is surely without a comparison in the annals of basketball.

In speaking of the Canton team last night, Athletic Manager Smith said:

"Last Friday every man on our first team was suspended for violating the law about smoking. Before they can be reinstated a petition must be presented by the student body to the executive board, consisting of the superintendent, G. W. Gayler; the principal, I. J. Riner, and the president of the school board, Mrs. Entwistle. If the board deems advisable under signature of each player they will be reinstated. The team has been talking for days about the trip to Jacksonville and it was a sore disappointment that they were not able to come, as they like the town and the treatment accorded here."

Mr. Smith stated also last night that the team had won this year from Moline, Monmouth, Abingdon, Washington, Good Hope and lost to Keokuk High by one point. They also have about ten more games scheduled. There is a possibility that if the players hold out, that the district tournament, which is billed to take place there on Feb. 28, will have to be called off.

For Jacksonville, Walton Boxell lead in the number of field baskets, with Dale Boxell second. During the last few minutes of play Frey succeeded Hale at center.

The following was the line-up:

Canton—Shortness and Byrum, forwards; Bishop, center; Reeves, Lynch and Martin, guards.

Jacksonville—W. Boxell and Maddox, forwards; Hale and Frey, centers; D. Boxell and Kohl, guards.

Umpire—Smith (Canton).

Curtain Raiser.

The curtain raiser by teams representing the faculty and seniors was really the game of the evening, in which the faculty won by a score of 10 to 6. Two members of the faculty had never played basketball before and some of the situations and mixups of the squads were extremely amusing and the crowd thoroughly enjoyed the fight.

The following was the line-up:

Faculty—Jera, center; Morrison and Buland, forwards; Carter and Huber, guards.

Seniors—Jackson, center; Furr and Smith, guards; Chipchase and Ferris, forwards.

WATCH REPAIRING.

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MRS. ALLAN SEES FOR CUSTODY OF CHILDREN.

The St. Louis Post-Dispatch of recent date contains an account of a suit filed in the juvenile court of St. Louis, in which Mrs. Rose Allan seeks to regain the custody of her children, Lucille and Etta Allan, now the wards of William Abar. In the petition Mrs. Allan tells of her struggles to keep the children since their separation from her husband, Wilbur Allan, in Granite City five years ago, and states that while at work at different hotels she placed one of the children in a Methodist Orphan's Home while she sent the other to her grandfather in this city. The petition further shows that she finally entrusted the children in the care of William Abar, who is now living in a household on the advice of a physician and Mrs. Allan fears for the health of the children.

Mrs. Allan formerly resided in this city and in 1911 the children were at the home of their grandfather in this city.

50 suits worth \$16.50 to \$28.50 to be sold for \$10.00 at Garland & Co.'s special suit sale.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

The Literary union will meet Monday evening with Dr. Morey, Leader, W. S. Camp. Subject: Moving "Pictures."

The Missionary society of Central Christian church will hold its regular monthly meeting in the parlors of the church Friday, Feb. 7, at 2:30 p. m. Division "C" will have charge of program. All ladies of the church are requested to be present.

The Board of the Old People's Home will meet at the home Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 2:30 p. m. Each member is requested to be present.

The South Side circle will meet Friday at 2:30 with Mrs. James Strawn, 615 South East street. Leader, Mrs. Nelson McMurphy. Subject: "The Nile and Its Monument, African Witchcraft and Superstition." Roll call: Trees and Plants of Africa.

The Tuesday Guild will meet next Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 2 o'clock with Mrs. W. W. Schermerhorn on West College avenue.

The History club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. H. H. Bancroft.

The Missionary society of First Baptist church will hold their annual thank offering and election of officers Thursday at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Donagan on North Prairie street. Each member is requested to be present.

The regular meeting of the Young Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Centenary church will be postponed from Feb. 3 to Monday, Feb. 10.

The East Side Tuesday club will meet at the home of Mrs. George Hocking, 446 South Main street, Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 3 p. m. Hereafter the meetings will be called at 3 p. m. instead of 2:30. The program will be as follows:

Life, Customs and Ceremonies, Mrs. Coleman; The Progress of Education, Mrs. George Rhea. Roll call, Lincoln Quotations.

The Young Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Grace church will meet Monday, Feb. 3, at 3 p. m. with Miss Lula Hay, 1516 Mound avenue. Mrs. Marsh will be assistant hostess. An interesting program has been prepared. Each member is requested to be present. Mrs. J. J. Reeve, president; Mrs. E. B. Herald, secretary.

The Fine Point club will meet with Mrs. Harry Capps, 1553 Mound avenue, Friday afternoon.

The Monday Conversation club will meet with Mrs. J. W. Miller at her home on North Church street.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Grace church will meet with Mrs. J. F. Berry, 1260 West College avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

The Hospital Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the hospital.

The Ladies Aid Society of State Street church will have their monthly all day meeting Tuesday, February 4th. Dinner will be served at noon. A full attendance is desired.

Wednesday Class will meet this week with Mrs. Walter Ayers.

The Chaminade Music club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. F. Ennis, 271 Hardin avenue at 2:30 o'clock. A program from French operas will be given.

Westminster Guild will meet Monday at 3 p. m. at the manse with Mrs. L. H. Davis as the leader. Pledges are due, the election of officers will be held and a full attendance is desired.

The Missionary Society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlors of the church Tuesday afternoon, February 4, at 3 o'clock. Leader: Prof. Isabel Smith. Hostess, Mrs. M. O. Matthews.

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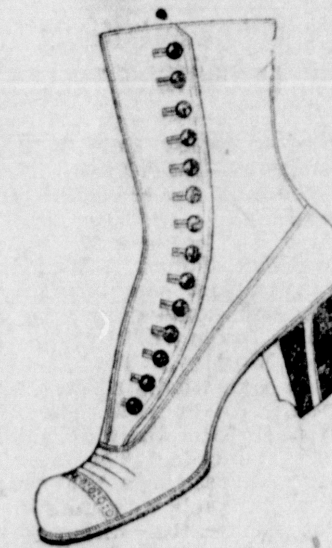
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CITY AND COUNTY

G. H. Webster of Nokomos was in the city yesterday.
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Unusual advantages in music, art, expression and domestic science at Woman's College. Second semester begins Feb. 4.

Fred Duffy has gone to Quincy to transact some business.

John Moss was a business visitor from Concord yesterday.

Roy Sayre of Lynnville was trading in the city Saturday.

Clarence Baker of Pisgah was trading in town Saturday.

Slippers, men's and children's shoes, all latest and best. Frost & Nolley.

C. W. Birdsell of Arcadia was trading in town Saturday.

Clyde Richardson of Orleans was trading in the city yesterday.

William Petefish of Arcadia was trading in the city Saturday.

John Sheehan of Woodson was a visitor in the city yesterday.

William Sargent of Markham was trading in the city Saturday.

W. C. Wilson of Eureka was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. Z. W. Scott of Markham was shopping in the city Saturday.

It is to cold to bake a cake to day. Let Vickery & Merrigan do that for you.

F. C. Wilson of Virginia was in the city on business Saturday.

Mrs. H. J. Mangrum of Chapin was shopping in the city yesterday.

William Dorwart of Woodson was in the city on business Saturday.

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J. A. Litter of Litterberry was a visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

Miss Jennie Coultas is a guest at the home of friends in Havana.

Oliver Lindsay of Litterberry was in the city on business Saturday.

Only a few more days left of big clean-up sale. JACKSONVILLE TAILORING CO.

Edward Willhite of Little Indian was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. P. J. Woulfe of Big Sandy was shopping in the city Saturday.

For shoes visit Frost & Nolley's. Miss Meda Gallagher of Woodson was a Saturday shopper in the city.

Bargains that will interest you will be found at Hillerby's anniversary sale.

Miss Edith Neal of Murrayville was shopping in the city yesterday.

Lawrence Ryan of Franklin was a Saturday business visitor in the city.

Frank Wilson was a Saturday business visitor in the city from Barry.

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Mrs. John Dornoch of Edwardsville is the guest of Miss Nina Wright.

B. Brenzle of Pittsfield was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Frankie Gordon of Lynnville was shopping in the city Saturday.

Best bargains in shoes at Frost & Nolley's; successors to Reaugh.

Allie Vaughn expected to spend Sunday with relatives in Roodhouse.

George Simpkins Jr., of Buckhorn, was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Miss Mary McCracken of Manchester was in the city shopping yesterday.

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G. W. Greenwalt of Manchester was in the city on business Saturday.

Miss Nellie Lashmet was a visitor in the city from Winchester Saturday.

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Chester Watred of Alexander was a business caller in the city yesterday.

David Estaque has gone to Chicago where he will attend the automobile show.

Read Hillerby's anniversary sale adv. on page 5.

Archie Moran is spending today at the home of his parents in Roodhouse.

Walter Brockhouse of Chapin was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Frost & Nolley have all up to date lines of shoes for people of all ages and both sexes.

George Hardwick of Merritt was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Howard Hodgson and Edward Collins were visitors from Prentice yesterday.

To day you will probably need some nice fresh macaroons, layer cake, loaf cake, angel food, mince pie, fine sweet oranges, shell nuts, figs, dates or you may want to order some maple moose or some other kind of real good ice cream for Sunday dinner, step to the phone and order now, the number is 227. Vickery & Merrigan.

Carl Martin has moved from northwest of the city to West Lafayette avenue.

Russell Knight of Virginia was transacting business in the city yesterday.

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William Petefish of Litterberry was transacting business in the city Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Foster of Sinclair was among the ladies shopping in the city Saturday.

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George Stansfield was among the Saturday visitors in the city from Murrayville.

Herbert Challans of Joy Prairie was among the visitors to the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lukeman of Pisgah were shopping in the city Saturday.

Miss Lena Dorwart of Woodson was among the shoppers in the city Saturday.

G. W. Patterson of the Ebenezer neighborhood was trading in the city Saturday.

M. L. Zaver representing the Lincoln Casket Co., is visiting friends in the city.

Frank Drury was among the business visitors in the city yesterday from Orleans.

Hillerby's anniversary sale continues this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kumble of the city yesterday.

Ball Fitzsimmons and Stephen Shelton of Woodson were visitors in the city Saturday.

Shoeing the multitude is the work of Frost & Nolley and they do it well.

Miss Jeannette Wagner is spending Sunday at the home of her parents in Virginia.

Miss Edith Vasconcellos expects to leave today for several weeks stay in Beardstown.

John Colwell of Alexander has gone to McNabb to attend the Don-Sweeney school.

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Mrs. C. M. Duer of Divernon is visiting at the home of W. T. Brown on Sandusky street.

Miss Elsie Wood of Trade Palace is spending Sunday at the home of relatives in Arenzville.

Lawrence Ryan, a well known Franklin resident was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

George Clayton and S. P. Story of Murrayville were among the traders in the city Saturday.

B. T. Ashley of the east side furniture and stove house was in Springfield on business yesterday.

Basil Sorrells is a visitor in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Shanahan are visitors in Springfield today.

Edward Coyle lost a very valuable horse yesterday as the result of choking on oats.

John W. Burbridge, who has been a patient at Passavant hospital vent to his home in Nebo, Ill., Friday.

Read Hillerby's anniversary sale adv. on page 5. It contains bargains that will interest you.

Mrs. J. B. Corrigan and daughter were in from their rural home northeast of the city Saturday.

The Randall orchestra furnished music for a dance in the M. P. L. hall in White Hall Friday night.

Mrs. Lyman O. Cassell of Edina, Mo., is in the city a guest at the home of his son L. K. Cassell.

Miss Lula Mawson of Beardstown is in the city visiting with Miss Esther Peterson of East State street.

Paul Scott, James DeFreitas and Charles Ezzard from out Woodson were trading in the city Saturday.

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Henry Muehlhausen and Carl Franz are expecting to leave tonight for Chicago to attend the Anao Exhibition.

Messrs. H. M. and G. B. Andre have returned from Chicago where they were visiting the furniture markets.

George Hall of Alexander was a business caller in the city Saturday. This was his first Jacksonville visit in 1913.

Miss Bessie Franz has resigned her place in the Woolworth store to accept a position in the office of Dr. W. H. Weirich.

Miss Gertrude Newman who has been taking a special course at the I. W. C. expected to leave last evening to visit friends in Chicago.

Read the list of unusual bargains in Hillerby's adv. on page 5, and then visit the store where many more await you.

Edgar Headen has returned to his home in La Harpe after a visit with his aunt, Mrs. Thomas Headen on West North street.

Miss Ivy Mason of Kentucky street will go Monday to Waverly for a visit of a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coe.

Earl White of Springfield is spending Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. White on Besley avenue in this city.

Peter Paxton of Pueblo, Colo., is spending a few days at the home of his father, George R. Paxton, and with other relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Patterson of Chicago are visiting at the home of his parents, Mrs. William Patterson in the Ebenezer neighborhood.

In spite of the bad roads and cold weather Hillerby's was a busy place Saturday. The answer is in his adv. on page 5.

Mrs. Clark Stevenson of Pisgah are guests over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Fanning in the Cherry flats. The ladies are sisters.

Miss Mary Hawks of the Floreth dry goods house is off for a vacation of two weeks. She expects to pass her time visiting with friends in several nearby towns.

Mrs. Katherine Wells of Mattoon, who is visiting at the home of her father, John Andrus at Manchester, was among the out of town ladies in the city Saturday.

Miss Emma Gordon of Quincy was shopping in the city Saturday. She is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gordon in the vicinity of Winchester.

George M. Hardwick of Merritt was a visitor in the city Saturday. It is Mr. Hardwick's intention to leave during the coming week for a trip to New Orleans and he may decide to visit the Panama Canal before returning home.

Capt. and Mrs. John E. Wright of South Diamond street are enjoying a visit from their daughter, Mrs. W. R. T. Masters of Manchester, who is accompanied by three of her nieces, who are grandchildren of Captain and Mrs. Wright.

Mrs. Peter McCabe of Murrayville was in the city Saturday to attend the funeral services of Michael Butler whose remains were brought from Peoria to this city for burial.

Mrs. Lawrence Shumway and daughters, Misses Esther and Tina, of Waverly, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Branom on East College avenue. They have been to New Berlin to see sick relatives.

Among the visitors in the city Saturday from Litterberry were noted: Mrs. Earl Rexroad, Mrs. M. Crum, C. A. Beavers, Albert Crum, Riley Young, J. C. McEllen, O. M. Petefish, C. T. Berry and Thomas Jewsbury.

C. O. Krebs, who was a citizen of Jacksonville fifteen years ago is a visitor here. He worked for some time for the printing firm of Henderson and DePew. He is now superintendent of the mechanical department of the Technical Engineer. He is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Krebs and a brother of Mrs. Asa Robinson of this city.

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FURNAL NOTICE.

The death of Mrs. Walter Allen of Waverly was mentioned yesterday in the Journal. Mrs. Allen formerly lived in Chicago and her name before marriage was Miss Helen McMillan. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in Waverly.

TO DISCUSS CHURCH MATTERS.

On Wednesday and Thursday of this week the Illinois Valley conference of the Evangelical Lutheran church will meet here. The churches in this district include Jacksonville, Mordecai, Bath, Beardstown, Chapin, Chandlerville, Arenzville, Bishop, Neeleyville and Manitou. The conference will discuss matters relative to the church.

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Worthy of more than passing notice is our showing of Linen Suitings, Crash Suitings, French Linens, Homespun, Durable Linens, etc., are among those featured: Ask to see them.

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Over one hundred names charter members of the Drama League, recently formed in the city have been sent to the national headquarters, and the league is starting under most favorable auspices. Those who still wish to join can do so by handing their names to Mrs. J. R. Robertson or leaving word at the Jacksonville National bank. The list of members follows:

Mrs. F. J. Andrews, Prof. J. G. Ames, Mrs. A. L. Adams, Miss Mary Anderson, Miss Jennie M. Anderson, Mrs. Harry Andre, Mrs. Edward Brown, Mrs. D. Rees Browning, Mrs. Lloyd Brown, Mrs. Edward Bowe, Dr. Edward Bowe, Dr. E. F. Baker, Mrs. Harry Brady, Dr. Carl E. Black, Mrs. Carl E. Black, Mrs. Mae Black, Mrs. E. P. Brockhouse, Mr. Vorce Basset, Mrs. Otto F. Bufile, Mrs. Harry Chenoweth, Mrs. John Cherry, Mrs. Stella L. Cole, Miss Grace Carter, Mrs. J. G. Capps, Miss Eleanor Capps, Miss S. Louise Capps, Mrs. W. T. Capps, Mrs. E. P. Cleary, Mrs. E. L. Crouch, Mrs. Albert W. Cox, W. S. Camp, Miss Annie U. Clayton, Miss Helen T. Catky, Harry M. Capps, Mrs. Harry M. Capps, Mrs. M. D. Dean, Dr. Grace Dewey, Miss Carrie Dunlap, Mrs. Felix Farrell, Miss S. M. Fairbank, Mrs. William A. Furr, William A. Furr, Mrs. Elizabeth Gailley, Mrs. J. W. Hargrove, Mrs. M. H. Havenhill, F. J. Hehl, Mrs. F. J. Hehl, Mrs. W. A. Jenkinson, Miss Ione Selma Kuehler, Miss Nellie A. Knopf, Miss Sophronia M. Kent, Mrs. Louis Kelly, Mrs. W. H. H. King, Mrs. Elizabeth D. Leavitt, Mrs. Hugh Barr Smith, Prof. William Krich, Dr. G. H. Kopper, Mrs. Ben Lorton, Miss Agnes Lusk, Miss Henrietta Lyman, Mrs. A. M. Masters, Mrs. George Matthews, Miss Laura McLaughlin, Miss Helen Miner, Mrs. Ellen Russell Merrill, Dr. Josephine Milligan, Miss Mabel Matthews, Miss Anne Marshall, Dr. E. A. Norris, Miss Ruby Neville, Dr. T. J. Pinner, Mrs. T. J. Pinner, Miss Alice Phillips, Miss Jeannette C. Powell, Mrs. J. K. C. Pierson, Miss Mary W. Price, Mrs. Julia C. Pierson, Mrs. John G. Reynolds, Mrs. C. H. Rammelkamp, Mrs. John R. Robertson, Col. John R. Robertson, Dr. David W. Reid, Mrs. David W. Reid, Andrew Russell, Miss Elizabeth Russell, Dr. George Stacey, Mrs. George Stacey, Gates Strawn, Donald M. Swarthout, Miss Clara Stevenson, Mrs. Anne H. M. Sharpe, Miss Ella Trabue, Miss Annie E. Tanner, Miss L. B. Tanner, Miss Ida B. Vanner, Mrs. J. O. Vosseller, Mrs. Frank J. Waddell, Mrs. John N. Ward, Miss Florence Ward, Miller Weir, Mrs. Miller Weir, Thomas Worthington, Mrs. Thomas Worthington, Miss S. Frances Wood, Miss Martha C. Weaver, Mrs. A. Wehl, Miss Lorena Webber, Mrs. Andrew Russell.

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AN IMPORTANT ISSUE.

The election to decide whether or not the city will ratify the contract recently entered into between the council and the Jacksonville Water Co., will be held next Tuesday. The polls will open and close at the usual hours and the polling places are as usual. One of the most important sections of the proposed contract is that by the terms of which all litigation between the city and the company will be terminated if the contract is approved. This is section ten of the contract and reads as follows. It is this section which J. A. Bellatti has pointed out as of great importance from the fact that otherwise litigation might run on for years at vast expense to both parties concerned.

Tenth.

"The said Jacksonville Water company, as assignee of and successor to the Jacksonville Water Works company, hereby waives, releases and relinquishes to said city all right, title and interest that it has or claims to have to the franchise granted to Charles W. Mackey and Omar N. Gardner by the ordinance mentioned in the preamble of this contract; and also waives, releases and relinquishes all the privileges, rights and interests of every kind and nature that said Jacksonville Water company, as such successor to the Jacksonville Water Works company, has or claims to have by, through and under the franchise ordinance passed September 23, A. D., 1904, and the ordinance supplementary thereto, mentioned in the preamble to this contract; and hereby agrees that it accepts this contract, when ratified by the electorate of said city, in full settlement of all claims and rights of action now being litigated in the suit pending in the circuit court of the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, entitled the Jacksonville Water Works company vs. the City of Jacksonville in which suit the Jacksonville Water company, on December 7, A. D., 1912, filed its bill entitled a supplemental bill in the nature of an original bill; and in full settlement of said suit, both as to the original bill and the said supplemental bill. And said company agrees that as soon as may be, after the ratification of this contract, as herein provided, it will dismiss the said suit and proceedings."

NOTICE.

We will thoroughly clean and press any ladies' suit, dress or long coat or any man's suit or overcoat for 85c. All work called for and delivered. Phone Ill. 417; Bell 419. A. L. Bromley, 315 West State St.

COL. G. H. HUNTOON IN CITY. Col. G. H. Huntoon whose home is now in Chicago arrived in Jacksonville last night for a business visit of several days and it at the Dunlap. Col. Huntoon in conversation last night expressed his surprise at the very favorable contract the city officials and the water company have entered into in a provisional way. He sees in the contract nothing for the city to lose and a great deal to gain.

Our store will be closed Monday until noon to mark prices down for February sale. Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie.

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TO IMPROVE LOCAL PROPERTY.

In accordance with the general policy of the new management of the Chicago & Alton, the local property of the company is to undergo some needed improvements. Among others, the platform of the station will be widened, the main track changed so that it will run straight through the city instead of turning to the west just north of the passenger station, the passenger and freight stations are to be painted and decorated and the driveways are both stations are to be either filled in with crushed rock or paved with brick. These improvements will not only add to the appearance of the company's property but will also add to the convenience of its patrons.

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"THE SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS" There are many bits of excellent character drawing in "The Shepherd of the Hills", the dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's most widely read novel, which comes to the grand next Tuesday night.

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SOCIAL EVENTS.

President and Mrs. C. H. Rammelkamp of Illinois college have issued invitations for a reception to be given at their home Thursday evening, Feb. 13.

The following evening the students in all departments of the college will be entertained at the Rammelkamp home.

D. A. R. Meeting.

The next meeting of the D. A. R. will be held Friday evening, Feb. 21 at Academy hall. Members will please reserve the date.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Gardner.

Mrs. Laura Gardner, aged 66 years, died Saturday morning at 6:45 o'clock at Passavant hospital, where she had been a patient for the last few days. Mrs. Gardner had an attack of la grippe and had been in failing health since that time. She resided on the Mound road and the people who had been staying at her house went away for a visit and several days ago Mrs. W. S. Jones found Mrs. Gardner quite seriously ill. She was sent to the hospital where everything possible was done to relieve her suffering.

Mrs. Gardner, whose maiden name was Laura Daulton, was born in Ohio. She was married to John W. Gardner, who preceded her in death some twenty years ago. She is survived by one brother, Frank Daulton of Danville; two nieces, Mrs. G. C. Broun of Danville and Mrs. S. G. Cherry of Eldorado Springs, Mo. Mr. Waulton was here last week to see his sister and the two nieces are now in the city. Mrs. Gardner was a faithful member of the Christian church and was a woman who was highly respected by a large circle of friends.

The remains were taken to the Reynolds undertaking establishment where funeral services will be held Monday morning at 10 o'clock, in charge of Rev. Clyde Darsie. Interment will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Ranson.

Funeral services for Edith Aileen Ranson, the 5 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ranson, were held at the Lyndale Christian church Saturday morning at 11 o'clock in charge of Rev. G. W. Burnett and quite a large number of relatives and friends were present. Music was furnished by Mrs. Charles Gibbs, Mrs. William Coultas and James and Henry Gordon, and the flowers, which were many and beautiful, were cared for by Misses Mamie McKinney and Jettie Gordon.

Interment was made in the Campbell cemetery and the bearers were Fred Leuch, James Heaton, Harold and Claude Jewsbury.

Richardson.

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie J. Richardson were held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Point Methodist church, in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends and the services were impressively conducted by Rev. E. B. Houck. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. J. V. Richardson, Mrs. Frank Ranson, George Richardson and J. W. Lazenby and the many beautiful flowers were in charge of Misses Carrie, Mildred and Gladys Gibbs, nieces of the deceased.

Interment was made in the family burying ground near the church and the bearers were Edgar Gibbs, William Gibbs, Leland Gibbs, Charles Gibbs, Felix Gordon and Albert Richardson, all nephews of the deceased. Among those from a distance to attend the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Felix Gordon of Murrayville, George, Charles, Lee and Jesse Orris, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hayes and Mrs. John Hayes of Manchester and Walter and Charles Wallace of Winchester.

Butler.

The remains of Michael J. Butler, whose death occurred at his residence, 122 Thrush avenue, Peoria, at 1:40 o'clock Thursday morning, arrived in this city at 9:45 o'clock Saturday morning and were taken from the train to the Church of Our Savior. There solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Dwyer, in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends of the deceased and of his family. Quite a number were present from Scott county, a former home of the deceased. The remains were accompanied to this city by the widow, Mrs. Michael Butler, and her children, and a brother, John Butler, and Mrs. W. H. Moore, a sister, and her husband. Interment was made in Calvary cemetery. The bearers were John Burkery, John Noonan, John Flynn, Patrick Quigley, John Flynn and Arthur Harmon.

Died From Apoplexy.

Shortly after 1 o'clock on Thursday morning Mr. Butler was found by his wife, Mrs. Mary Butler, gasping for breath, and before medical aid could be summoned, death had intervened. Owing to the suddenness of the death an inquest was held by Coroner Eckhard Friday morning. Mrs. Butler testified that her husband had gone to bed Thursday night and had fallen asleep without removing his clothing. An autopsy held by Dr. Major gave evidence that death was caused by apoplexy, and in accordance with this finding the jury rendered a verdict.

The deceased was a carpenter and was 45 years of age. He is survived by his widow and four children.

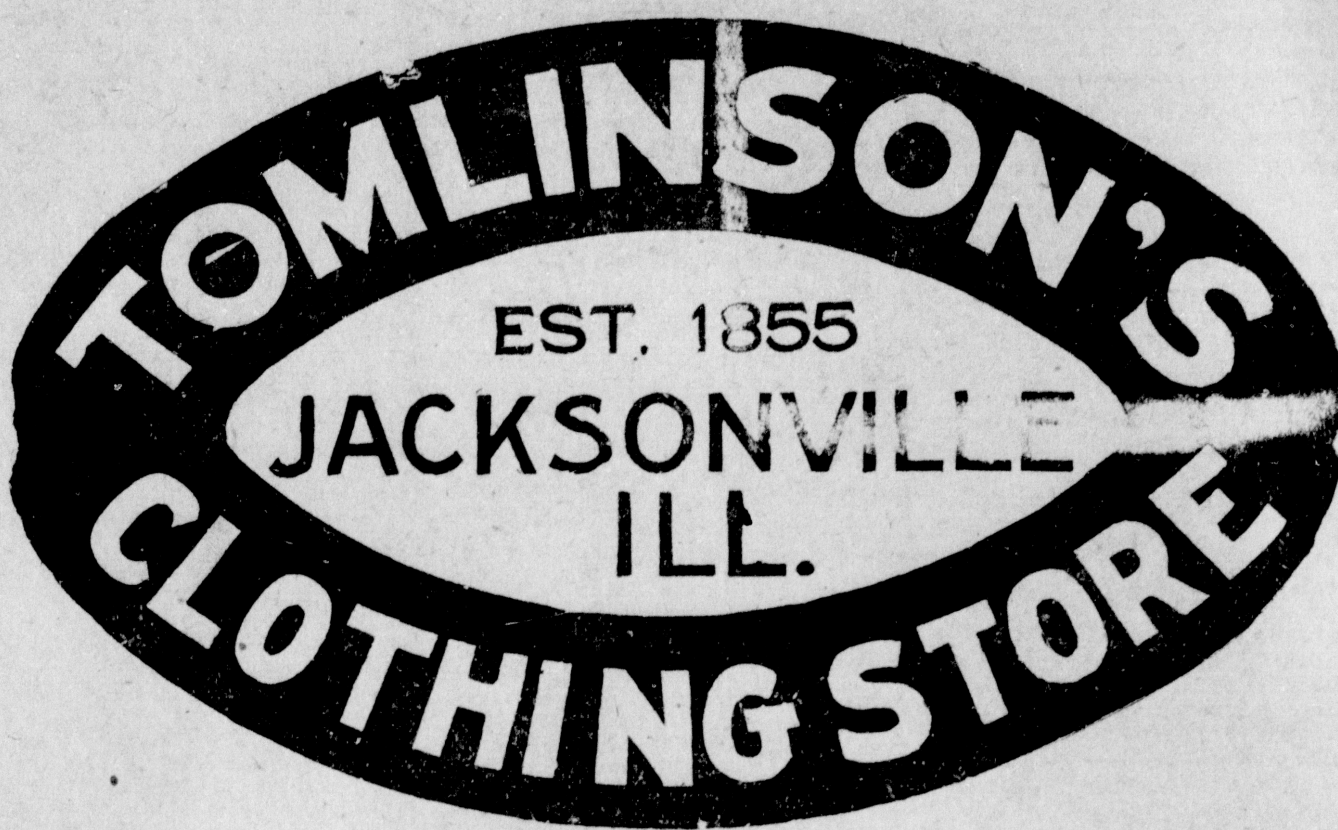
Williams.

The funeral services of Lillian May Williams, the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams of Carrollton, was held Friday and burial was in the Carrollton cemetery. The deceased was a member of the high school of that place and school closed in respect for her memory.

Newby.

Mrs. Julia A. Newby died Saturday night at 12 o'clock at her residence, 409 South East street, after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Newby, whose maiden name was Julia A. McGinnis, was born November 13, 1840, five miles west of this city, and was a daughter of Hopesul and Elizabeth McGinnis. She was married in January, 1876 to Robert Newby, who preceded her in death a number of years ago. She is survived by five children: Miss Lou Della at home, Walter R. Newby of Nortonville, Clarence E. of Ebenezer, S. Elmer of Nortonville and Mrs. Pearl Westhyderman of New Holland. Mrs. Newby is also survived by six sisters and three brothers: Mrs. Peter Vasey, west of the city; Mrs. Barry Taylor of Woodson; Mrs. Elizabeth Rudkin of King City, Mo.; Mrs. Mary Gilliland of Bethel, Miss Frances McGinnis and Miss Virginia McGinnis of Murrayville; John McGinnis of Roadhouse and William and George McGinnis



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of Murrayville. She is also survived by two step daughters: Mrs. J. L. Johnson and Mrs. Emma Johnson west of the city, and one step-son Albert Newby of Cincinnati, Ohio. Mrs. Newby was a faithful member of the Liberty M. E. church and was a woman who had endeared herself to a large circle of friends, who will learn of her death with sorrow.

Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

BLUFFS HIGH WINS FROM ARENZAVALLE HIGH.

Scott County Lads Carry Off Honors in Basketball Game, Score 39 to 9.

The Bluffs High school basketball team proved a real winner from the ArenzaValle quintet last night, the score being 39 to 9. The game was played in Lewis' hall at Bluffs and a large crowd was present to witness the contest.

The following was the line-up: Bluffs—Russell Wolford, right forward; Grant Hiller, left forward; Leroy Cassell, center; E. Nortrup, right guard; Roy Beird, left guard. ArenzaValle—Houston, center; McElroy, right forward; Clarence Ray, left forward; Rexroat, right guard; W. Hamm, left guard.

"SUPPORT LAW" BRINGS REVENUE OF \$194,234.57

SUM IS COLLECTED FROM PATIENTS AND RELATIVES OF PATIENTS OF STATE HOSPITALS.

Collection in First Year of This Large Sum With Only Two Men At Work is Regarded As a good record — Total Collection For Year From Jacksonville State Hospital Reaches Sum of \$35,253.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 1.—The state board of administration today reported that in the first year of the operation of the "support law," it has collected \$194,234.57 from patients and relatives of patients in the six state hospitals for the insane. The law creating the board of administration, which went into effect January 1, 1911, provides that patients in the state hospitals for insane must, when they are financially able pay for their maintenance either in whole or in part. If the patient is unable to pay and he has relatives who can, the board is required by law to collect from them. The law gives the board discretion and power to determine whether a patient or his relatives are able to pay. In case such payment would work a hardship upon the patient's dependents, such as his family and children, the board has authority to suspend the operation of the law. The board organized a department under this section of the law and started it in operation on October 1, 1911. Naturally a great deal of opposition developed to the law among the relatives of the insane in state hospitals. It has required a great deal of time to investigate hundreds of patients whose financial responsibility was not known. The board has had at its disposal the services of two investigators, who have likewise performed all the clerical service of this department.

The collection in the first year of this large sum with only two men at work is regarded by the board as a good record, inasmuch as in Ohio with a larger population only \$160,000 was collected under a similar law by a department consisting of four men.

This money is paid direct into the state treasury and is not used by the board of administration in the conduct of the institutions. The revenue to the state from this source will hereafter, more than equal the loss of revenue collected from the several counties for the support of their indigent insane in the state hospitals. The release of the counties from this obligation, was made a few days ago, when the state board issued its proclamation notifying the state that the complete state care act would henceforth be in full force.

The following is a statement of the collection by quarters of each of the state hospitals:

Elgin State Hospital — First quarter \$5,044; second quarter \$5,322; third quarter \$5,392; fourth quarter \$1,145.

Kankakee State Hospital—First quarter \$8,785; second quarter \$9,271; third quarter \$9,848; fourth quarter \$10,287.90.

Jacksonville State Hospital — First quarter \$10,688; second quarter \$9,971; third quarter \$12,089; fourth quarter \$12,135.

Anna State Hospital—First quarter \$3,875; second quarter \$7,721; third quarter \$5,510; fourth quarter \$6,560.

Watertown State Hospital—First quarter \$8,271; second quarter \$7,941; third quarter \$8,324; fourth quarter \$8,681.

Peoria State Hospital — First quarter \$6,953; second quarter \$6,635; third quarter \$6,791; fourth quarter \$7,592.

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HOW MUCH DID HE LOSE?

A Fargo grocer, who is not a mathematician, has asked the police to solve a little financial problem for him.

A well-dressed, smooth-talking young man entered his store and asked for a 5-cent jar of mustard. He gave a \$10 bill in payment, and upon receiving his change remarked that he thought he had handed the grocer a \$1 bill.

"Your certainly are an honest man," he said. "You might have only given me 95 cents in change and I would not have discovered the mistake."

Then the customer produced a \$1 bill, placed it with four of the \$1 bills the grocer had given him in change, and asked the grocer if he would mind letting him have a \$5 bill for the five \$1 bills. The grocer threw a \$5 bill on the counter.

"Here, I'm robbing you of all your change," said the customer picking up the \$5 bill and the \$1 bills. Just let me have my \$10 bill back and I'll give you this \$5 and the \$1 bills."

The grocer made the change and the customer left the store. Later the grocer going over his cash discovered a shortage. He told the policeman he was not sure, but he thought he was out about \$5.05. The policeman insisted the grocer was shy, and the clerk at the police station to whom the report was made figured the shortage to be \$6.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE.

John Sheehan, administrator of the estates of the late John and Margaret Loran disposed of two acres of ground and a small house standing on it at public sale at the south door of the court house Saturday. The land is in the vicinity of Midway, a short distance southwest of Woodson. The land was sold for the sum of \$500 to Charles Ezzard. The sale was cried by Capt. T. E. Wright as auctioneer. The solicitor for the petitioners was Geo. L. Merrill.

GOV. SULZER MAY REPEAL FRAWLEY ACT

STATEMENT THAT BOXING IN NEW YORK HAS DEGENERATED NOT SUPPORTED BY FACTS.

Rivers and K. O. Brown Meet in Los Angeles Washington's Birthday, While Joe Mandot and Tommy Murphy Will Entertain San Francisco Sports.

(By Jas. J. Corbett, former heavyweight champion of the world.) Governor Sulzer has thrown a scare into the promoters of professional boxing in this state. His excellency threatens to ask the legislature to repeal the Frawley law unless the character of the sport is improved to such an extent that it does not offend the public morals. Mr. Sulzer claims to have evidence that exhibitions frequently descend to the level of slugging matches, and declares that in the future all contests must be conducted on a clean and scientific basis; otherwise he will wipe the law off the statute books entirely.

If the governor will take the trouble to investigate the situation I am confident he will find that there is no call for such action on his part. The statement that boxing in New York has degenerated into "brutal prize fighting" is not supported by facts. At no time in the history of the ring has the sport been cleaner or better conducted. Of course, boxing is not exactly a parlor game, as the governor well knows, and a little of the "rough stuff" is bound to crop out now and then during a contest of skill, but it is seldom the limits of decency have been overstepped or public morals offended to the extent that it has been found necessary to stop a bout.

I am afraid the governor has derived his information from a source which, to put it mildly, is too prejudiced to be fair in representing the state of affairs. Barring a few minor features, and which time alone will remedy, boxing exhibitions in New York have been pretty thoroughly cleansed and the objectionable features practically eliminated.

Eddie McGoorty got in bad with local critics as a result of his failure to stop Freddie Hicks at a local club last week. A boxer of reputation has his work cut out to please everybody. If he fails to put over the "k. o." punch on a less clever opponent, the "experts" accuse him of not trying. And if he does land the wallop, the "reformers" holler about the brutality of the sport.

But McGoorty did not show the form expected in a boxer who claims the middle-weight championship. Either Eddie neglected his training or the lay-off of several months slowed him up a great deal, for his performance was not impressive. At that Hicks is a tough proposition for a clever boxer to handle. He generally manages to stock the limit with the best of them. He appeared content to cover up and let McGoorty do the fighting, and I suppose it was because he did not care to take unnecessary risks of breaking a hand on Hicks' head or elbows that McGoorty did not force matters more.

Philadelphia Jack O'Brien claims McGoorty has refused to box his protegee, Jack McCarron, at the middle-weight limit of 158 pounds ringside, which, according to the loquacious "gent" from the Quaker City, eliminates Edward Brown, the contender for the title. It is my own opinion that Eddie's days for 158 ringside are over. That he can not do himself justice at the weight was demonstrated in the ten round go with Mike Gibbons last December. I doubt if McGoorty would make a creditable showing with a rugged fighter such as Frank Klaus, or Jack Dillon, at the middle-weight limit. At 162, which is about his mark, it might be a different story.

Speaking of contenders for the middle-weight championship, I am told that "Sailor" Burke is again in the field. The "sailor" don't weigh an ounce over 180. The last time I saw Burke he was on the receiving end in a mill with Bob Moha. I thought the licking he assimilated that night had taken all the fighting ambition out of him, but here he is back again. What a bear Burke was when facing a dub. And how he could "dog" it when up against a good man.

Dan McKettrick, manager of Joe Jeannette, is now in France endeavoring, I understand, to have his boxer substituted for Al Palzer in the proposed heavy-weight championship with Jack Johnson next June. A letter from Al Lippe, the American manager associated with the French promoters, states there is not the slightest chance for Jeannette, and that McKettrick's errand will prove fruitless.

Whatever else may be said of Johnson he is not in the book class in a business way. To expect him to consent to the substitution of the experienced and dangerous Jeannette for the green Palzer is too absurd to be given a thought by those who know the champion and his methods.

Even should the financial inducements be greater it is doubtful if Johnson would consent to box Jeannette. It must be remembered that he has been out of the ring for a long time, if we may except that little fracas with Jim Flynn last summer, and it remains to be seen if he retains his former ability. At any rate there is no danger of his taking on Jeannette when he can command \$25,000 for a bout with a novice. If a liberal amount of advertising is necessary to the financial success of a boxing match the meeting between Packey McFarland and Jack Britton bids fair to establish a record. That is, if it ever takes place.

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We were led to believe that everything had been settled and that the contest would be held at Madison Square Garden on the night of February 7, but it appears that announcement was a trifle premature. Three clubs are now trying to land the match. The Forty-fourth Street club will guarantee Packey \$7,000; the Empire A. C. offers the same inducements. Billy Gibson, of the Garden, who has first call on McFarland's friendship, will give the stock yards' champion the privilege of 30 per cent of the receipts, with a guarantee of \$6,500, and Britton can have 20 per cent for his end. Packey favors the Garden proposition and if Britton's manager can be persuaded to accept Gibson's terms the match is likely to be clinched at any time.

There is said to be no dispute over the weight question and, if the financial details are arranged to both boxer's satisfaction, they will meet at 138, weigh in at 3 o'clock. Which portends that the boys are about ripe for the welter-weight division. Willie Ritchie says he will defend the light-weight championship at 133 pounds ringside, the weight at which he won the title from Ad Wolgast. Ritchie and his foxy manager obviously decided that it would not be a wise move to raise the limit as long as McFarland is able to sit in the game.

Los Angeles fans should see a great slugging match when Joe Rivers and Knockout Brown clash on Washington's Birthday. If nothing else can be said in his favor Knockout is one of the most willing little mixers in the division. It matters not to the Dutchman whom his opponent may be. They all look alike to him; he does his best all the time. When he boxed Wolgast in Philadelphia and New York, "K. O." was only a kid, but he did not let the reputation of the champion scare him in the least.

Although Rivers can hardly be classed as a scientific boxer he is a master mechanic alongside of Brown. "K. O." knows only one thing and that is to keep slamming with his left, which is his dangerous hand. And Rivers may find his awkward right-foot forward style hard to fathom for a few rounds.

I observe that Joe Mandot, who saw Brown box in New Orleans, predicts "K. O." will outgame and outfight Rivers. According to Mandot, the Mexican is strictly a front runner and curls up when the other fellow beats him to the punches. Which prompts one to inquire when and where Mandot acquired this information. He certainly did not take advantage of this knowledge of Rivers' weakness in the Thanksgiving Day meeting. In that bout Rivers completely outclassed the New Orleans boxer.

While Brown and Rivers are exchanging compliments and punches at Los Angeles, Mandot and Tommy Murphy will entertain San Francisco sports. Jim Coffroth has booked the boys for his holiday card, and to judge from the form Harlem Tommy

displayed in the recent bout with Frankie Burns there is a huge surprise in store for Mr. Mandot. Despite his thirteen years in the ring Murphy is far from a member of the "has been" society. The twenty round affairs suit his style much better than the short dashes to which he was accustomed in the east. James J. Corbett.

BASEBALL NOTES.

Scout Bobby Glicks is in Pensacola, Fla., putting the training grounds in shape for the Cleveland Naps.

According to the records Catcher Henry, of the Washington team, nailed 72 would-be base-stealers in 63 games last season.

Dr. Frank J. Sexton, the Harvard university baseball coach, has signed a three year contract with the Harvard Athletic committee. Charley Barrett, formerly athletic trainer at Williams college, has been engaged as trainer of the New York Americans for the coming season.

William R. Armour, the new president of the Milwaukee club, is a veteran baseball manager, having seen service as a pilot of the Detroit, Cleveland and Toledo teams.

Middlesboro, Ky., has been admitted to the Appalachian league, taking Asheville's berth, the latter city having been released to enter the Carolina league.

Chicago fans have arranged a great reception for Frank Chance, former Cub pilot, when he makes his first appearance in the Windy City as manager of the New Yorks.

The Newark club has signed Gus Getz, the star third baseman of the New York state league. Getz was drafted by Brooklyn last fall, but turned back to the Elmira club.

Evidently Bill Sweeney, of the Boston Braves, is trying to get the goat of Charles Webb Murphy. Bill says that the Braves will surely finish ahead of the Cubs next season.

The strange disappearance of Frank Haasler, of the Hastings, Nebraska State league team, is reported. Haasler's mother who resides in Nowata, Okla., is trying to locate her son, from whom nothing has been heard since the season closed last September.

Pitcher "Toots" Schultz, recently released by the Philadelphia Nationals to the Sacramento club, was a gay bird in the way of retirement. On the training trip of the Phillies last season "Toots" climbed into his dress clothes every night in order to partake of the evening meal properly adorned. Needless to say Schultz's "soup and fish" scenery failed to make a hit with his teammates.

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New York, Feb. 1.—The new Grand Central terminal in this city will be opened for service tomorrow, although it will still several months before the finishing touches are put to the great structure and the workmen's scaffolds removed. Comparatively few persons, even among the residents of New York City, have any adequate conception of the size, the magnificence and the many wonderful features of the new station. The ground area of the structure is just a trifle short of 89 acres. Enclosed under the mammoth train shed are 22 miles of track. Nearly 15,000 trains a day, carrying 250,000 passengers,

will be able to arrive or depart from the station. One of the most impressive features of the station at first sight is the main concourse, measuring 275 feet in length, 120 feet in width and 125 feet in height.

The trackage in the station is on two levels one exclusively for through trains and the other for suburban traffic. Each level is provided with a waiting room accommodating 5,000 persons. Ticket offices, baggage offices, parcel rooms, information bureau and entrances and exits are so arranged as to facilitate the movements of passengers and avoid confusion. There are no stairways in the station. All approaches to the various levels are by means of ramps or inclined ways.

Outwardly the new terminal, in harmony with the requirements and demands of the times, does not resemble the ordinary railroad station. The central part of the facade is in the form of a triumphal arch and at once attracts attention. Over and about the steel frame terra cotta, marble and light stone complete the structure. Approaching the front entrance from Park avenue is a viaduct occupying the middle of the thoroughfare and extending from high above street level proper. This elevated street extends around each side of the terminal building, on the Depew avenue side to the east and Vanderbilt avenue on the west, continuing to the south end of the building.

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HAS BEEN RE-ELECTED FROM MINNESOTA FOR ANOTHER SIX YEAR TERM.

Came to This Country From Norway at the Age of Six Years—Sold Newspapers on the Streets of Chicago—Served Three Years in Civil War.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—Senator Knute Nelson of Minnesota, one of the most picturesque figures in the United States senate and likewise one of the most influential of the Republican members of that body, will celebrate his 70th birthday tomorrow. Senator Nelson, whose present term will expire next month, has just been re-elected by the Minnesota legislature for another term of six years. In the next congress he will rank among the veterans of the senate in point of service as well as age. Of the entire membership of the senate as it will be constituted after March 4, only two members, Lodge of Massachusetts and Perkins of California, will have seen longer service in the upper house than the senior senator from Minnesota. Both Senators Lodge and Perkins came to the senate in 1893, two years before Senator Nelson made his appearance.

The career of Senator Nelson is of much more than ordinary interest, and in several respects unique. The story of his life has many of the salient features of a romance, including the picturesque and unusual. Born on a little farm near the city of Berzen, in the southwestern part of Norway, he accompanied his widowed mother to America when 6 years old. The family was practically penniless and the early youth of the future senator was one of hardships and privations. Undoubtedly it was the remembrance of these early days that prompted Senator Nelson to come to the aid of Polke Brandt, the young Scandinavian whose pardon he was instrumental in securing and whom he has taken to Minnesota to begin life anew.

Chicago was Senator Nelson's first home in America. Here he aided in the support of the family by selling papers on the streets. In 1850 the mother and son went to Walworth county, Wisconsin, and located on an unproductive little sand farm. When he was 16 young Knute heard that at Albion seminary, which was conducted by Seventh-Day Baptists, a boy could get an education without money. He at once set out on a tramp of sixteen miles to see about it. For two years he remained at the seminary, doing chores for people in the vicinity to pay for his tuition and board.

When the war broke out Senator Nelson, with twenty of his fellow students, enlisted. He served three years, was wounded, taken prisoner at Port Hudson, and came out a corporal. He then finished his seminary course, read law in Senator Vilas' office in Madison, was admitted to the bar, and elected to the Wisconsin legislature before he was 24 years old.

In 1870 he removed from Wisconsin to Minnesota. In his new home he speedily took an active interest in politics, serving four terms in the Minnesota legislature. After three terms in Congress he was elected governor of Minnesota in 1892 and served two terms. He was elected to the United States senate first in 1895, and has been three times re-elected.

While Senator Nelson has been generally classed as a regular Republican and usually votes with the majority of his party in the senate, he has shown great independence at times, especially on the tariff question. As a member of the lower house he voted for the Mills Democratic tariff bill. Two years ago he voted against the Payne-Aldrich bill, a Republican measure. He voted for the LaFollette bill at the special session last summer. A week or so later he opposed the conference report on that measure. In the same session he voted against the Democratic cotton revision bill.

During his long career in public life Mr. Nelson has devoted his attention to a variety of questions and he has made his mark on the statute books. He is the author of the present bankruptcy law. He is the father of the department of commerce and labor. It was at the instance of Senator Nelson that the Republican national convention in 1890 adopted a plank committing the party to the creation of such a department. He drew the bill under which the department was created.

While Senator Nelson is a bit old fashioned, he is proud of it. He takes no part in Washington society, has no fondness for what is termed club life, and probably has not seen the inside of a theatre half a dozen times in his life. He is a great student of history and his favorite recreation is to read about the great sea and land fighters of the past. Probably no man in public life today has a more intimate knowledge of the history of the American civil war than the Norwegian senator who carried a musket through three years of the great conflict.

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FOR RHEUMATISM. George W. Koon, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful relief from rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began to use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by L. P. Alcott, druggist.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will sell at what is known as the Joseph Hulett farm southeast of Jacksonville, mules, cows and farm implements, Thursday, Feb. 6, at 10:30. Marcus Hulett.

GIVES VIEWS ON WATER QUESTION.

When asked what he thought of the contract that the electorate of Jacksonville is expected to accept or reject on February 4th, 1913.

"I fear that this contract will be a source of great trouble to Jacksonville," is the language of one of the honored members of the Morgan county bar spoken to the writer. Why has he and many others that fear? Because they consider this agreement gained from an almost helpless company is not based on justice and right and who believe that "Nothing is settled unless it is settled right."

Let us recall briefly, a little of the history of this great question as it was given to the writer by one who now "sleeps the sleep that know no waking."

Many of our citizens can recall the time when for two or three months last year Jacksonville was in a dangerous situation on account of the scarcity of water to prevent destructive fire, and for that reason insurance companies were threatening to cancel their policies. An abundant supply must be obtained was the almost unanimous opinion of our citizens. Plan after plan was considered and rejected until a contract was entered into between C. W. Mackey and A. N. Gardner, dated September 23, 1904, the essence of which was that good, pure water would be delivered to the amount of three million gallons daily from the sand beds of the Illinois river if necessary.

The question of the nature of the pipe was gone over and the contractors stated that if cast iron pipe was used, the plant would cost about seven hundred thousand dollars, an amount on which a reasonable return could not be obtained and they would not consider it but they would use a pipe equal to all requirements and alone would be responsible for it, and if it was not equal to all requirements the loss would be theirs and not the city of Jacksonville.

The parties representing the city thought an abundant supply of water would be worth twelve to fifteen thousand dollars and determining by the analysis, and statement of Prof. Barton of the state water survey that the water was excellent for all purposes, drinking and domestic use, that its value to the city would be worth as much as these two items would cost, about thirty thousand dollars, which would after paying seven thousand five hundred dollars for the public plugs or hydrants, be a fair rental for the use of the city's plant. The consideration for the great expenditure made by the projectors would be the entire receipts for water sold and forty dollars per year for each public hydrant, making about thirty thousand dollars revenue every year which would be required to pay expenses and a return to stock and bondholders of about 5 per cent (surely a reasonable return) on money invested.

The contract was entered into, the work after many delays and disappointments was constructed and when tested failed in pumping the required amount, three million gallons in every twenty-four hours, and because of their failure the city claimed the contract null and void (a very unjust claim). After considerable trouble and trying to find out the cause of this failure an expert was paid who discovered that the strainers were unsuited to the lower strata of sand; they were all taken out and reset at an expense of about twelve thousand dollars. When done the company requested the privilege of pumping into the city's reservoir in order to demonstrate that they had overcome the defect and were able to pump four million gallons—a million gallons more than the contract required. This request was refused—a very ungenerous act, and one that would make it appear that their failure was desired more than their success.

The company was obliged to open the pipe at the creek about six miles west of the city and demonstrated that they were able to pump four million five hundred thousand gallons in twenty-four hours. The city still refused to listen to their petition, or request, and thereby repudiated their contract which is considered a dishonorable act by many of our best citizens. Litigation then began, and continued, until the water company, who spent many thousands more than anticipated had exhausted, as such, the company's means, and was unable to contend for its rights under the contract. September, 1904, and under which three hundred and forty-five thousand dollars were expended. They are now at the mercy of the city. Consider the new contract to see what quality of mercy it is. In the agreement of 1904, the company was to receive all receipts and about seven thousand five hundred dollars for public hydrants, making a revenue of about ninety thousand dollars. By the second or proposed contract, they get but one-half of the gross receipts and nothing for public hydrants, a loss of about twenty thousand dollars a year. Who can say that is justice or mercy. Jacksonville is taking that large amount of money that does not rightly belong to her but properly belongs to those who furnished the money to construct these works. (The city not having furnished a single dollar) wrongfully deprives those who did furnish the money of their just returns and wipes out about three hundred thousand dollars of an investment.

Men of Jacksonville is that right? Another unjust phase of this contract is that the Jacksonville Water company will be forced to relinquish their lease on the city's works which by just contract expires Sept. 3d 1934, in one year and six months from June 1st, thereby losing twenty years of a lease which is the life of the company without which their property has very little or no value. Is that not a great wrong? There are other parts of this contract that are very undesirable and

may be a source of great trouble to Jacksonville.

As a sample of the workings of this contract or quasi partnership. The three citizens who had public spirit enough to invest their money in this great enterprise ever attempted for Jacksonville, Mr. John Ayers, the public spirited son of a public spirited sire loses twenty thousand dollars; the heirs of the late hero Gen. B. H. Grierson, whose grandson quickly responded to a noble sentiment loses five thousand dollars. Also the heirs of honest Ed Greenleaf, a considerable amount for the reason that the money which ought to pay the returns on the amount will be taken by the city. Can that be good out of which comes such wrong? Again, if this contract should be entered into again at expiration of eighteen months, for the balance of time of lease in twenty years the loss to this water company would amount to about three hundred thousand dollars and the unjust gain to the city of about the same amount. Will that be a credit or a disgrace to our beautiful city?

I believe that most all of our citizens greatly desire the settlement of this vexed question on the basis of justice and fair pay, and it could easily be settled if professional pride and the spirit of contention and greed was eliminated.

R. C. Smith.

THINKS RIVER WATER WOULD HELP CITY.

As a disinterested and unprejudiced party in the water controversy but interested in everything, which will encourage the material growth of this city, I feel it a duty to express briefly my sentiments.

It is a well known fact that Jacksonville has not seen a growth during the recent decade which has been enjoyed by many of the other cities of Illinois.

Is it that we are not advantageously situated? Many striking illustrations can be shown where cities are thriving in reasonably poor agricultural regions, where the tributary population is less in importance and where shipping facilities hold no comparison.

Can it be said that the people of Jacksonville do not want to see it grow? The character of her population is just as aggressive and just as enterprising as that of any other city. They are proud of their history, their institutions, and their city, and have a right to be.

However, the one greatest essential for the growth and prosperity of any village, town or city is that it has an adequate and unlimited supply of pure wholesome water.

Jacksonville's water at the present would not be inducement for outside capital to invest heavily in new enterprises or build a new modern hotel which this city must have. The water problem has advertised Jacksonville as much to detriment as her educational institutions and her many desirable features as a "home city" was for her good.

The city has made a good contract, and one in which both sides have had to make concessions under the existing circumstances. For the sum of a few paltry dollars, to be derived from a closer bargain would Jacksonville, and when I say Jacksonville, I mean every person in Jacksonville be satisfied to see us drift as we have been.

I feel confident that the Commissioners will be sustained in their action, that every legal voter will do his duty by voting on next Tuesday, and the Water Company be given fair chance to fulfill their agreement.

The business men of Jacksonville have shown their confidence in their town by making the improvements which have blessed the city during the past year. We are bound to go forward for Jacksonville has awakened to her opportunities to attain the position of an municipality of some consequence.

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CONSERVATORY NOTES.

Mr. Munger will return to the city on Monday and will resume his lessons.

The regular monthly students' recital will be given on next Friday at four o'clock.

The chorus will resume its rehearsals next Monday evening at seven o'clock under the direction of Mr. Howard D. French. It will begin work on Gounod's "Galla."

The Conservatory orchestra has begun rehearsals on the 5th Symphonies of Beethoven.

Miss Edith Robinson is still confined to her room but hopes to be able to take up her work by the latter part of this week.

SINCLAIR VISITORS.

Among the visitors in the city Saturday from Sinclair were Frank Hunter, William Ward, Daniel Ward, Lewis Ward, George Waggoner, Bert Waggoner, Richard Emmerson, William Richardson, Moses Flynn, Tyne Brown, Thomas Fox, Rosa Keltner, Hazel Hopper, Thomas Fitzpatrick, Charles and Samuel Bealmeier, William Warters, Frank Green, Hazel Means, Charles Harber, Morris Jumper, Jack Stewart, Walter Wheeler, Calvin Lawson, William Cleary, George Swain, George Wheeler, Frank Hopkins, Chester Wilson, Newton Wilson, James Wilson.

TO DISCUSS SOCIAL REFORMS.

Plainfield, N. J. Feb. 1.—Many problems of social reform are to be discussed by eminent experts at the annual meeting of the New Jersey Conference of Charities and Correction, which will begin a three days' session here tomorrow. Among the officers and prominent members of the conference are President-elect Woodrow Wilson, ex-governor J. Franklin Fort, ex-governor Franklin Murphy and Bishops MacPaul and Lines.



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WAR MEMORIES AFTER FIFTY YEARS
CAPT. FANNING GIVES RECOLLECTIONS OF GREAT CONFLICT.
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These memoirs composed from personal experience and memory together with official records and history of the civil war are not intended to bestow fulsome praise or to write glowing eulogies but to call to memory what we all then living witnessed in those days and to give those of minor age or born since that time, a comprehensive understanding of the unselfish and patriotic impulse that animated every soul.
On the thirteenth day of April, 1861 for the first time since the organization of this government, our national flag was struck by traitors to the United States government.
From the beginning of the government men had talked about secession and at various times had declared the constitutional right of a state to secede. The south claimed that she was now putting that right into practice while the north denied that any such right existed. By February 1st, 1861 delegates from seven seceding states met at Montgomery, Alabama, and established a government of their own under the name of the Confederate States of America. Jefferson Davis of Mississippi was chosen president and Alexander H. Stephens of Georgia vice-president. They changed the constitution of the United States to make the state supreme and adopted the stars and bars as their common flag.
The confederacy was being rapidly organized and its congress had already authorized Davis to obtain possession of Fort Sumpter and Pickens at once either by negotiation or force. The whole country was full of excitement and the people were divided in their sympathies. Lincoln's inaugural address was one of the most important ever written by a president of the United States and from it friend and foe alike learned his views that the supreme aim of Lincoln would be to preserve the union. That he would faithfully execute the laws in all the states and that he would hold, occupy and possess the property and places belonging to the government.
He concluded as follows:
"In your hands my dissatisfied fellow countrymen and not in mine is the momentous issue of civil war. The government will not assault you. You can have no conflict without being yourself aggressors. We are not enemies but friends."
This address greatly pleased the north, because it made the saving of the union instead of oppressing slavery the great question. Douglas and thousands of his followers enthusiastically supported Lincoln in his resolution to preserve the union.
Neither Lincoln nor Davis wanted to strike the first blow. Thus far the open act of secession and of seizing national property put the south at a disadvantage. But the time for deeds was at hand.
Early in March Lincoln learned that Major Anderson of Fort Sumpter for want of food could hold out but a few weeks longer. A fleet with soldiers and supplies was sent to his relief, but it arrived too late. By order of Jefferson Davis the forts in Charleston harbor opened fire on Fort Sumpter and its little band of one hundred and twenty-eight men bravely defended the garrison and the flag all day. By noon the next day the fort was on fire and the walls were broken in many places. Smoke and clinders almost choked the men. Explosions followed explosions and yet the men would not surrender.
On Sunday afternoon, April 14th, 1861 Major Anderson without the loss of a man, with his torn flag flying and drums beating, gave up the fort to General Beaupard, the confederate commander. Charleston was wild with excitement and there was rejoicing all over the confederacy. On Sunday evening Douglas made a long visit at the white house. On Monday Lincoln sent forth his call for seventy-five thousand men and Douglas informed his followers that he stood by the president in his efforts to preserve the union, maintain the government and defend the federal capital. Public meetings were held in city, town and country. The pulpit, the platform and the press called on men to defend the union. Flags were flying to the breeze and the fife and drum joined in kindling the war spirit; on every hand resounded the tramp of volunteers. From farms and field, store and shop, factory and foundry, school and college, from every walk in life came sons, and fathers to answer with their lives. The foreign immigrant and the native born American marched side by side. A mighty wave of patriotism swept over the north. In two weeks more than three hundred thousand men were under arms. Everywhere in the north nothing could be heard but war, war, and soon volunteers by the thousand were marching to the front to engage in civil war.
Many did not realize quickly that the nation was divided against itself, engaged in a cruel war, that a series of battles were being fought over ground purchased by sacrifice of blood shed by our forefathers, intended to be a heritage to succeeding generations, and refuge to protect them from danger and distress and where all might enjoy life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.
The battles that were being fought were not decisive and there was a variance in the reports as to who

won the last advantage on the field in battle.
On the 25th day of May 1862 Governor Yates received a dispatch from the secretary of war, "That intelligence from various sources leaves no doubt that the enemy in great force are advancing on Washington, you will please organize and have ready all volunteers and militia force in your state," and in two weeks under the authority 13 regiments of infantry 3 of cavalry and one battery of artillery were ready for service. On 6th day of July 1862 the president made another call for three hundred thousand volunteers and on the next day the Secretary of War called for nine more regiments from Illinois, the service to be nine months unless sooner discharged, the time given to volunteers to enlist closed on the 18th day of August. The order of the Secretary of War assumed that the order for Illinois would be 52,296 volunteers to be raised between the 7th day of July and the 18th day of August. The order of the secretary of war assumed that a draft would be necessary that the state would not be able to contribute their quota of the call in July for three years service, announcing that if any state should not by the 18th day of August furnish its quota of the three year volunteers the deficiency would be made up by a special draft from the militia. Two days after the order, notice was given that unless the enrollment of the militia had been commenced to have it done immediately at the expense of the general government. To raise 52,296 volunteers in a little time was a great task. The floating population of the state who would enlist had already done so these new volunteers must come if come at all from farmers, merchants, mechanics, manufacturers and business men who as a rule remained at home and made money, while clerks and employees went to war. Men who owned farms, especially those who owned large farms and operated them with great profit throughout the struggle, while the tenant and farm hands were urged to enlist. Great fortunes were made by many of those who took no part in the conflict. The Government promised to pay the soldiers \$13 per month which was increased to \$16 per month, the contract was to pay them in dollars, they were paid in currency, so depreciated as to be worth less than 50 cents on the dollar so that instead of receiving the contract price of \$13 and \$16 the actually received from \$6 to \$7 per month.
Prices for the necessities of life were correspondingly high as a result the families of the soldiers in many instances were supported largely by private and public charity during and at the close of the war there were two general classes of government conditions—the holders of the government bonds and the men who had given the best part of their lives on the march in camp, in prison and in battle for the restoration of the union; the first class had remained at home engaged in the pleasant pursuit of the money making, while the second class endured during all three long years all the privations incident to the greatest war of modern times. The bonds issued by the government were for the most part bought with greenbacks. The bonded debt of \$2,149,575,000 cost the purchasers of the bonds at the time they were issued only \$1,371,424,233 in money of gold value, the kind of money in which they paid. There was no question but that the bond for which greenbacks were paid were payable in the lawful money of the country, and yet the government was so jealous of its honor that in March 1869 by the famous coin act all such bonds were made payable in coin thereby giving to the bondholders a clear profit of more than \$675,000,000, a marked speculation. Something for nothing. When a little later a measure was offered by congress to protect the national honor by paying to the soldiers the difference between the amounts which the government agreed to pay them and the amounts actually received by them from the government; it failed of a respectful hearing, its author being denounced as a demagogue for bringing a proposition so preposterous into the halls of the national congress.
The system of recruiting for old regiments under the state superintendent appointed by the war department was in operation during January, February and March, 1862, and with a large detail of recruiting officers about 351 recruits were enlisted. When the secretary of war announced that the enemy in great force were advancing on Washington and the call for 300,000 more volunteers by the president. The war department directed a discontinuance of the recruiting service, the order of the secretary of war making the call upon the state for 300,000 more men answered that a draft would be necessary. The state instead of being able to rest with satisfaction with having done her whole duty to the country was called upon to redouble her energies for new exciting and more eventful realities.
On the 21st of July, 1862 the memorable battle of Bull Run was fought and lost and on the next day congress authorized the president to call into service five hundred thousand troops. This vigorous measure gave hope of a speedy termination of the war. The people of the state received the announcement with the wildest satisfaction. Men were from every portion of the state hastened to the capital demanding that as they were ready to perform their share of the work of saving the government they should not be drafted so long as they were willing to volunteer.
This was quickly settled by the war department, that all volunteers would be accepted until the 18th of August for new regiments and that all volunteers enlisted before the draft would be credited on those calls.
The 101st Illinois infantry was organized under the call by captains: John B. LeSage, Mercedosa; Napoleon B. Brown, Concord; Horace E. May, Jacksonville; Henry C. Coffman, Jacksonville; Charles Sample, Jacksonville; George W. Fanning, Murfreesboro.

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The regiment was known as the Morgan county regiment, officers and men named enrolled as volunteers. This was done for the purpose of getting credit for the number of enlisted volunteers in the county to fill the quota required to save the country from any draft. All of the men named who enrolled as volunteers recruits to organize companies and after a new regiment was commissioned, captains to serve in the new regiment, 101st Ill. vol. Inf.
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STRAY TOPICS FROM LITTLE OLD NEW YORK.
New York, Feb. 1.—Police Commissioner Waldo has submitted his report for the year 1912 to the mayor and the document makes quite interesting reading. The report shows that the entire police force of New York City numbers 19,371 men, of whom 499 are detailed to detective duty, 497 to the Traffic Division, and 47 to other city departments. During the year 1912 the police made 18,780 arrests for felonies, 107,277 for misdemeanors and 10,838 for juvenile delinquency. Rather significant is the information that the courts suspended sentences on persons who were convicted in 18,556 cases, including 35 for assault and robbery, 417 for burglary, 73 for carrying concealed weapons. In a measure this is Commissioners reply to the charge frequently made against the police that they do not prepare their cases properly for the courts, and that they are frequently guilty of swearing falsely in order to permit the escape of prisoners whom they had blackmailed.
Population 5,250,000.
Commissioner Waldo points to the fact that New York has a population of 5,250,000, and that the ratio of police protection is only one to every 567 inhabitants. In London and Paris the ratio is one to every 332; in Amsterdam and Dublin one to 386; in Chicago one to 464; Tokio one to 431; Philadelphia one to 490; Glasgow, one to 485 and Munich, one to 446. To give New York adequate police protection, the police force should in the opinion of Mr. Waldo be augmented by the addition of about 2,400 patrolmen. He also advocates an increase in pay of policemen and several changes in the laws relating to the pensioning of policemen. Among the recommendations made by the Commissioner are those for transferring the boiler squad to the Fire Department; of making the House of Detention a part of the District Attorney's office; for the passage of laws for the taking of the finger prints of chauffeurs; for the abolition of private hack stands and for the passage of a law making possession of gambling apparatus unlawful and authorizing its destruction. The report has out little to say of the Becker case.
Mourn "Big Tim" Sullivan.
There is sadness, great and genuine sadness in the Bowery district, for "Big Tim" Sullivan, the idol of the district and its undisputed ruler has joined the ranks of the living dead. He has become insane and the court declared him incompetent. He is suffering from a complete collapse of his mental faculties and is a victim of imaginary persecution, in constant fear for his life and safety. He will probably spend the rest of his days in some sanitarium or insane asylum. The loss of "Big Tim" will be keenly felt by the Bowery district, which recognized in him not only its political and social leader, but its big hearted benefactor and staunch friend of every man, woman and child in the district, no matter how lowly and poor.
Hard on Weather Prophets.
The weather prophets, official and unofficial alike, are having a hard time of it this winter. In other years their predictions came true at least once in a while, but the abnormal climate conditions of the present winter have so far upset all their calculations. Yet, habitual weather prophets are not easily discouraged and always find some excuse for the failure of their predictions. A. J. De Voe, of Hackensack, who enjoys for some reason, a local reputation as a great weather prophet, when asked about the open winter, said: "The reason is quite simple, for, with one exception, we have been on the last side of all the storms. Of course, that explains everything, even the common people who are not weather prophets, fail to see the connection between the fact stated and the prevailing weather conditions."
Mr. DeVoe undoubtedly has the courage of his conviction. Not satisfied with his elucidating statement to account for the mild winter, he pitched right into the prediction that from now on there would be severe cold which would last until April. He predicted ice one foot in thickness for the middle of February and the worst storms of the season between February 7 and 10.
Uncatch Smuggling Scheme.
The breaking of a package in the Registry Department of the Post Office brought to light the other day an ingenious attempt to defraud the Government by smuggling in diamonds valued at \$20,000 without payment of duty. Among the registered packages was a flat parcel, covered by ten inches. It had been roughly banded in transit and the paper, covering the parcel, had been torn at one corner. The clerk in whose hands the package was delivered, hearing the rattling of glass, partly opened the package to ascertain the extent of the damage done. He found that the parcel contained a leather frame, containing the photograph of a middle-aged woman. On the frame was stamped "In Memoriam." The glass was broken and the back of the frame injured. The clerk was about to rewrap the parcel, when he noticed three unset diamonds which had dropped out of the package. An investigation showed that the sender had taken off the back of the frame and had filled the space between the embossed leather of the frame and the back with unset diamonds.



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Frank Montague, Dennis Davis and
James Sullivan were sentenced to
thirty days in the county jail in
Squire Dyer's court Saturday. The
men claimed that they were from
Kansas City and came from that
place to Peoria, later coming here.
It is said that they were found in
a C. P. & St. L. caboose, had built
a fire and refused to get out. The
sheriff was notified of the case and
he caused the arrest of the men.
L. A. Laramore was arrested Sat-
urday by Constable J. A. Crum, on
a warrant charging him with pro-
moting a lottery, the complaint being
made by A. A. Renner. The case
was set for Tuesday, February 11,
at 9 o'clock.

WELCOME TO IMPERIAL
POTENTATE.
New Orleans, La., Jan. Feb. 1—
Members of the Masonic fraternity
in New Orleans and vicinity turned
out en masse to do to welcome Wil-
liam J. Cunningham of Baltimore.
The Imperial Potentate of the Order
of the Mystic Shrine, who came to
pay an official visit to the local lodge.
After a day spent in sight seeing a
formal reception was held in honor
of the official at the Masonic Temple.
Mr. Cunningham leaves tonight for
the west.

WANTED
A Good Stomach.
MI-O-NO Stomach Tablets are guar-
anteed to cover & Shrove to end
indigestion and give you a good vig-
orous stomach, or money back. They
relieve after dinner distress in five
minutes. 50 cents.
MI-O-NO for belching of gas.
MI-O-NO for distress after eating.
MI-O-NO for foul breath.
MI-O-NO for loss of appetite.
MI-O-NO for heartburn.
MI-O-NO for sick headache.
MI-O-NO for night sweats.
MI-O-NO for bad dreams.
MI-O-NO after a banquet.
MI-O-NO for vomiting of pregnan-
cy.
Makes rich, pure blood—puts vig-
or, vim, vitality into the whole body.
Free trial treatment from Booth's
MI-O-NA, Buffalo, N. Y.

THE WORLD'S LATEST FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS
LEADING STOCK
MOVEMENT NARROW
BREAK OF TWO POINTS IN
PENNSYLVANIA MOST NOTICE-
ABLE CHANGE.
The Break in This Standard Issue
Tested the Strength of the Market
Which Held Up Well With Excep-
tion of Few Weaknesses.

(By Associated Press.)
New York, Feb. 1.—Movements of
the leading stocks today were nar-
row and irregular. Speculation
slowed down and displayed lack of
initiative. A break of nearly two
points in Pennsylvania was the most
conspicuous change, these shares be-
ing sold on reports of a proposed
large stock issue which were subse-
quently denied. Some disappoint-
ment also was expressed at the
small gain in net earnings shown
in the December statement. The
break in this standard stock tested
the strength of the market which
held up quite well, although weak-
ness developed in a few spots.

How largely the stock market op-
erations of the week were built
about the bull campaign in the
American Canning stocks was in-
dicated by the lessening of speculative
interest today which was coincident
with the cessation of the upward
movement in canning. That stock
dropped two points, although it sub-
sequently recovered much of its
loss. Selling of these shares was at-
tributed to disappointment of traders
who had expected a definite an-
nouncement by the directors yester-
day of a plan to pay off the
dividends on the preferred. The
market seemed to feel the lack of
stimulus to speculation derived from
the cessation of the canning stocks
and trading was quieter. Another
influence which tended to restrict
speculation was the belief that the
supreme court's decision in the Min-
nesota rate case might be handed
down on Monday.

Independent steel stocks developed
considerable strength. Colorado fuel
preferred rose four points to 155. Its
record price. Increased interest was
shown in Union Pacific which for a
time sold at an advance of a point
on expectations that announcement
of the Harriman dissolution plan
would soon be made. Declaration of
an initial dividend of 1/2 per cent on
Rumely resulted in a two point ad-
vance in that stock. The bank state-
ment did not come up to expecta-
tions. Except of predicted cash gain
the actual table revealed a loss of
\$3,600,000.

Amalgamated Copper 73 1/2
Amer. Beet Sugar 37 1/2
Amer. Cotton Oil 52
Amer. Smelting and Refining 73 1/2
Amer. Sugar Refining 117 1/2
Amer. Tel. and Tel. 132 1/2
Anaconda Mining Co. 38
Atchafalca 103 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line 130 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio 102 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 24 1/2
Canadian Pacific 24 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio 78 1/2
Chicago & North Western 126 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 113 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron 40 1/2
Colorado & Southern 31
Delaware & Hudson 164
Denver & Rio Grande 21
Erie 31 1/2
General Electric 141 1/2
Great Northern 128 1/2
Great Northern Ore 127 1/2
Interborough-Met. pfd 64 1/2
Inter Harvester 114
Louisville & Nashville 139 1/2
Missouri Pacific 41 1/2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 47 1/2
N. Elkhart Valley 161 1/2
National Lead 52 1/2
New York Central 108 1/2
Norfolk & Western 110 1/2
Northern Pacific 119 1/2
Pennsylvania 125 1/2
People's Gas 16 1/2
Pullman Palace Car 165 1/2
Reading 23 1/2
Rock Island Co. pfd 42 1/2
Southern Island Co. pfd 107 1/2
Southern Railway 27 1/2
Union Pacific 161 1/2
United States Steel 65 1/2
United States Steel pfd 110 1/2
Wabash 35
Western Union 71 1/2

NEW YORK BONDS.
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon 101
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U. S. 3s, coupon 102 1/2
U. S. 3s, coupon 102 1/2
U. S. 4s, coupon 113 1/2
U. S. 4s, coupon 113 1/2
Panama 3s, coupon 102 1/2

NEW YORK GRAIN.
New York, Feb. 1.—Wheat—Spot
steady; No. 2 red, \$1.09 1/2 elevator
and \$1.11 f. o. b. aboat, nominal.
No. 1 northern Duluth, \$1.01 1/2 f. o.
b. aboat. Futures were easier; clos-
ing unchanged to 1/4 net lower.
May, 95 9-16; July closed, 97 1/2; Sep-
tember closed, 95 1/2.
Bonded wheat—May closed, 96 1/2;
July closed, 96 1/2. Receipts, 155,-
000.
Corn—Spot steady; export 57 1/2 f.
o. b. aboat. Receipts, 42,000; ship-
ments, 1,000.
Oats—Spot steady; standard, 38 1/2
nominal; No. 3, 38 1/2; No. 4, 37 1/2;
nominal white, 37 1/2; white clip-
ped, 38 1/2. Receipts, 40,000;
shipments, 5,000.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.
New York, Feb. 1.—Butter—Firm;
creamery extras, 36c.
Cheese—Steady, unchanged.
Eggs—Firm; fresh graded extra
firsts, 25 1/2; 25 1/2; firsts, 23 1/2;
24 1/2; seconds and lower grades, 22
1/2 to 23c.
Raw sugar—Steady; Muscovado;
89 test, \$2.98; centrifugal, 95 test

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.
Chicago, Feb. 1.—Wheat—No. 2
red, \$1.10 1/2; No. 3 red, \$1.02 1/2;
No. 1 hard winter, 92 1/2; No. 3 hard
winter, 90 1/2; No. 2 spring, 89 1/2;
No. 3 spring, 85 1/2; No. 1
northern spring, 89 1/2; No. 2
northern spring, 89 1/2; No. 3
northern spring, 85 1/2.
Corn—No. 3, 47 1/2; No. 4, 45 1/2;
No. 2 white, 50 1/2; No. 3 white,
50 1/2; No. 4 white, 48 1/2; No. 2
yellow, 51; No. 3 yellow, 48 1/2;
No. 4 yellow, 45 1/2.
Oats—No. 2 white, 35 1/2; No. 3
white, 33 1/2; No. 4 white, 32 1/2;
No. 3 standard, 34 1/2; No. 4
standard, 33 1/2.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET.
St. Louis, Feb. 1.—Wheat—No. 2
red, \$1.08 1/2; No. 3 red, \$1.06 1/2;
No. 1 hard winter, 92 1/2; No. 3 hard
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PEORIA GRAIN MARKET.
Peoria, Ill., Feb. 1.—Corn—4c
up; No. 3 white, 49c; No. 4 white,
46 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 47 1/2c.
Oats—4c lower; No. 2 white, 34c
@ 34c; standard, 33c @ 34c; No. 3
white, 33c @ 34c.

By James E. Bennett & Co
Wheat—High Low Close
May 94 93 1/2 93 1/2
July 91 1/2 91 1/2 91 1/2
September 90 1/2 89 1/2 90
Corn—
May 52 1/2 52 1/2 52 1/2
July 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2
September 54 1/2 54 54
Oats—
May 34 34 34
July 34 34 34
September 34 34 34
Pork—
May 19.10 19.05 19.07 1/2
July 19.05 19.02 1/2 19.05
Lard—
May 10.17 1/2 10.15 10.17 1/2
July 10.17 1/2 10.15 10.20
September 10.25 10.20 10.25

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Are you nervous and dependent; weak and
debilitated; tired mornings; no am-
bition; lifeless; memory poor; easily fatigued; excitable
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per hundred pounds less than
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mers prefer beet sugar for the
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any other cards printed. Ask the
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Jacksonville, Ill.

NOTES FROM LABOR WORLD

The Bell Telephone company has
175,000 employees on its payroll.

Twenty-seven states enforce sani-
tary regulations in factories.

There are one hundred thousand
union machinists in this country.

To improve the slum district a
Los Angeles society will build cheap
houses for workmen.

Farm wages with board in the
United States averaged for men
\$10.09 a month in 1866; \$13.53 in
1875 and \$20.89 in 1909.

Rhode Island and South Carolina
have prohibited the employment as
high messengers of boys under 21
and 18 years, respectively.

Savannah, Ga., electricians, who
were organized a few months ago,
have established one of the best
unions in the city. The membership
includes every eligible electrician.

The number of wage earners in
the automobile industry in the United
States is 75,721, and the automo-
bile wage standard is said to be esti-
mated somewhat higher than that of
other industries.

A bitter fight has been started
against the company or so-called
"Punch Me" stores conducted by the
steel and iron and coal and coke com-
panies operating in the Pittsburgh dis-
trict in Pennsylvania.

The International Brotherhood of
Bookbinders asserts it has gained in
membership about one thousand in
the last four months and now has a
total membership in good standing of
eleven thousand.

For the first time since the I. W.
W. strike, last spring, the full com-
plement of laborers is now at work
on the western division of the Grand
Trunk Pacific. There are now 2,509
men working in the construction
camps.

More than twenty thousand men
of the warships of the United States
Atlantic fleet contributed 25 cents
each for a wedding present to Miss
Helen Gould in appreciation of what
she has done for the service.

There are only 425 factory in-
spectors in the whole country to care
for 268,491 manufacturing and in-
dustrial establishments, spread over
an area of 3,624,507 square miles and
engaging an average of 6,615,045
wage earners.

Of thirteen state legislatures in
which child labor bills were introduced
last year, ten passed laws on the sub-
ject. The tendency is toward shorter
hours with higher minimum age re-
strictions and prohibition of night
work.

Forty-eight national and interna-
tional unions report the following
benefits of organization for the
year. Total increase in wages, \$39,-
188,988.68; total reduction in hours of
labor, 21,113,093; wages repre-
sented by reduction in hours of la-
bor, \$6,270,980.72.

A ten per cent increase in pay has
been granted by the National lines
of Mexico to mechanics in all shops
of the system, following a strike that
all but tied up the service on the sev-
eral thousand miles of railroad oper-
ated by the Mexican government re-
cently.

PISGAH.

Mary Beckman is spending the
week in Petersburg.

Mrs. E. K. Stevenson has been
quite poorly with rheumatism.

Mrs. M. Harris and daughter
Ruby are ill with a gripe.

Mrs. J. R. Baker was a Jackson-
ville visitor Thursday.

Miss Beulah Cummings, Mr. and
Mrs. R. A. Harris of Jacksonville
and Howard spent Sunday at the
home of Mr. Harris.

Miss Lillian Carter of Jacksonville
is visiting her cousin Miss Cum-
mings. They spent Thursday evening with
Miss Bernice Wood.

Mrs. J. B. Beckman has been ill
the past week.

Miss Marie Wiswell is spending the
latter part of the week at the home
of Charles Wood.

Reeder's medicines at Coover &
Shreve's Drug Stores.

CAUSE OF IMPURE BLOOD.

Druggist Tells of Best Remedy.

Pure healthy blood is a most es-
sential factor to good health.

Poor, thin, devitalized blood may
be caused by a weakness of the di-
gestive organs, an accumulation of
waste matter in the system, an in-
active liver or lack of exercise.

Whatever the cause the best rem-
edy we know is our delicious cod
liver and iron tonic, Vinol. It will
purify and enrich the blood, tone up
the digestive organs, give you a
heartily appetite and create strength.

A case has just come to our at-
tention from Schenectady, N. Y.
Mrs. Hattie Hall says: "I was forcibly
reminded that my system was
run down and my blood in bad con-
dition by an abscess forming in my
side which required treatment for
several weeks. Under the regular
use of Vinol to purify and enrich my
blood and build up my strength this
was soon healed, and my general
health was much improved."

If you have the slightest indica-
tion of poor blood take Vinol. If
it fails to help you we will give
back your money. Lee P. Alcott,
Druggist, Jacksonville, Ill.

P. S. Eczema Sufferers: We
guarantee our new skin remedy,
Saxo.

HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT.

The high school chorus of 350
voices will give a concert next
Tuesday night, Feb. 6 in the high
school auditorium at 7:45. The
chorus has been studying the cantata
"Ruth" by Gaul, which will be given
that evening. The Treble Clef club
will give a short cantata "Three
Springs" by Bliss and the Glee club
will give a group of songs. Admis-
sion 25 cents. The proceeds will
be used to start the fund for a grand
piano to be placed in the new build-
ing. It is hoped that all friends of
the school will attend.

Charles Magill of Arnold Station
was in the city on business Satur-
day.

GRIDIRON CLUB MET AT WINTER DINNER

MEN OF NATIONAL PROMINENCE
GATHERED AT BANQUET
BOARD.

Graceful Tributes Paid to President
Taft and President-Elect Wilson
—Wit and Humor Sparkled From
Many a Harmless Jibe and Jest.

Washington, Feb. 1. — President
elect Wilson, President Taft, Theo-
dore Roosevelt, William Jennings
Bryan, Rip Van Winkle and a lot
of other notables were portrayed to
the Gridiron club and its guests to-
night at the annual winter dinner
when men of national size sat at the
banquet board and saw themselves
frolicking about to their own amuse-
ment.

The dinner took the form of one
graceful tribute to President Taft
and another to President-elect Wil-
son. The club began by having an
inauguration of its own, President
Rudolph Kauffman of the Washing-
ton Evening Star. His inaugural
procession, which marched into the
banquet hall to the blare of a band
consisting of a detachment of the
New Jersey national guard; a club
of Princeton professors; a contingent
of southern colonels, hurrahing for
the "Solid South," "Places for vet-
erans," etc.; the "Wanta Eia Pie
Frat" of college boys; Tammany's
phalanx; the "In Bad club," includ-
ing George W. Harvey, Henry Wat-
terson, August Belmont and Thomas
F. Ryan, and finally a squad of
suffragettes shrieking "Votes for
Women."

Omissions From Parade.

When the din had partially sub-
sided, it was announced in behalf of
President Kauffman that he did not
think much of the parade, as
there were some things missing.

"Where," he asked "was the
Champ Clark Houn' Dog club?"

"Went broke at Baltimore," was
the explanation.

"Where's the Underwood Protec-
tion Phalanx?"

"Pulled off the train by Bill
Bryan and slapped into steel
shackles," was the answer, while
the "Harmon Ohio Buckeyes" were
being entertained at French Lick
Springs at Tom Taggart's expense.

Such as it was, the new president
was obliged to be content with his
inauguration, and received the
the sacred emblem of office, the
golden gridiron, with the statement
that this being an era of economy
and reform, he would be allowed
neither salary nor travel expenses.

Hardly had the guests turned
again to their terrapin when en-
trance was demanded and achieved
by the Sigma Pi Sigma fraternity
of the Yale law school, which insist-
ed in initiating two new members of
the club. The dinner was suspended
for the ceremony. The neophytes
were "Mr. William of Cincinnati"
and "Mr. Theodore of Oyster Bay,"
to be known in the order respectively
as "Brother Bill" and "Brother
Teddy." A discord in the band was
explained by the inability of the
neophytes to agree on a marching
tune; one demanding the only tune
he knew, "A Hot Time in the Old
Town Tonight," and the other want-
ing Keller's "Hymn of Peace."

Symbol of Ballot Box.

The "Grand Panadrum" that
"S. P. S." meant "Standpat Pro-
gressive Society." The symbol of the
ballot box with a coffin and scholar's
cap below it meant, "the ballot box
is the one peaceful budgeon in the
hands of the people." "He who is
stricken by it may either crawl into
his political coffin and die at once, or
prolong life a little by going to
teach at a university."

A non-descript, double-ended ani-
mal, with a moose head at one end
and an elephant's at the other, re-
placed the time-honored goat, that
both candidates should be able to
ride at once. When it broke down
under their combined weight, Theo-
dore defiantly declared that though
he, "couldn't run the darn thing, by
Godfrey, I smashed it," while Wil-
son "backed himself against the
world for a good loser." In the
struggle the wigs and false
mustaches becoming displaced, re-
vealed the features of the two candi-
dates for admission to the club,
John E. Monk, of the St. Paul Dis-
patch and John P. Gavit, of the
New York Evening Post.

Wilson as School Master.

Next, President-elect Wilson was
discovered conducting his first cabi-
net council on the lines of a faculty
meeting and calling upon a member
of his "thesis." It soon appeared
that the cabinet officers from the
secretary of state to the attorney
general bore the features of Wil-
son J. Bryan. There were nine in
all, around the cabinet board.

"Where is my cabinet?" queried
the president.

"He will soon be here," replied his
secretary.

"He? You mean they. For that
error of grammar you will translate
five extra pages of Homer," retorted
Mr. Wilson.

Reminded that he had never be-
fore attended a cabinet meeting, Sec-
retary of State Bryan admitted that
he had not, but added, "I have made
three attempts at it." Secretary of
Treasury Bryan declared he had not
had a financial idea since 1896. Sec-
retary of War Bryan declared he was
not Mr. Wilson's secretary of war but
his own secretary, that he was not in
Mr. Wilson's cabinet but was in his
own cabinet. Secretary of Navy
Bryan favored no more battleships,
until Lincoln, Neb., became a sea-
port. Attorney General Bryan,
residualy legate of 400 incomplete
trust prosecutions, declared his
trust policy to be, "to bust those we
can't trust, and trust those we
can't bust," and explained that
when a trust was reorganized, "the
small stockholders lose their quick-
ness." The real trouble began when
President Wilson undertook to
frame his message, as the Bryan



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ing offer for the purpose of acquainting the
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VANIC, THE FAMOUS EASY WASHER.

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very high-grade nickel silver, and will grace the table of the finest
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limited time only, for 100 Galvanic Soap Wrappers. Coupons from Johnson's
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store, mail same direct to us, enclosing five 2-cent stamps to cover postage, and we
will mail spoons direct to you.

B. J. Johnson Soap Company, Milwaukee, Wis.



WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES

President Harker spent Friday in
Bloomington with the members of
the commission of the Forward Edu-
cational Movement.

On Wednesday, Feb. 5, classes for
children in cookery and in sewing
will be started. All children between
the ages of 10 and 14 are eligible.
The work will start at 3:45 p. m.
The prices for fifteen lessons in
cookery will be \$1 and for fifteen
lessons in sewing 75 cents. This
charge is to cover actual cost of ma-
terial used. It will be an excellent
opportunity for the children to have
the advantages of this splendid de-
partment.

February 3 will occur the recital
by the Passmore Trio. This is the
fifth number in the series of Artists'
entertainments and will be a musical
treat. This Trio is especially well
known for its ensemble work and
for its solo work.

Last Monday evening after the
recital by Director and Prof. Swarth-
out, Mrs. Hartmann entertained the
faculty of the Conservatory of Music
and the College of Music together
with a few other friends in her
studio. The time was spent very
delightfully in an informal manner.
The recital given by Director and
Prof. Swarthout Monday was one of
the strongest ever given in the
College of Music. Their work was
very favorably received by the large
audience present.

A very excellent program was
given by the students of the depart-
ment of expression Friday afternoon
at 4:15. Five of the more advanced
students took part in this recital.
The program has already been
printed.

Monday evening, Feb. 10, Miss
Kiddier, head of the department of
expression, will give her recital. She
will read "The Passing of the Third
Floor Back."

Miss Ruby Neville delightfully en-
tertained the seniors at an informal
dinner in her rooms Friday evening.
In addition to the members of her
class and Miss Neville, their class
officer, Mrs. J. B. Harker, Miss
Grace Cowell and Miss Martha
Weaver were guests.

The second semester will open
Feb. 4. It is a good time for any
one wishing to do college work to
enter the classes at that time.

Reeder's medicines at Coover &
Shreve's Drug Stores.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES.

The work of the second semester
will begin on Monday morning.
Cards are being issued by President
and Mrs. Rammelkamp for a recep-
tion to friends and patrons of the
college on Thursday evening, Feb.
13th.

A leave of absence has been granted
by the board of trustees to Profes-
sor Ames for the month of
February. Professor and Mrs.
Ames will spend the month in the
south on account of the illness of
Mrs. Ames. The Rev. H. H. Mitchell
of Trinity church and Miss Eleanor
Capps will look after the classes of
Professor Ames during the latter's
absence.

President and Mrs. Rammelkamp
will give their annual reception to
the students of all departments of
the college on Friday evening, Feb.
14th. The entertainment of the
evening will be furnished by each of
the four classes of the college de-
partments.

Several trustees of the college are
planning to attend the Illinois col-
lege alumni banquet in Springfield
on Thursday evening. The banquet
will be held at the St. Nicholas hotel.
The Honorable Richard Yates will
act as toastmaster.

NOTICE

To Farmers and Stock Raisers

We are now manufacturing under State License, the best Brand
of hog food on market known as "SURE FATTEN HOG FOOD".
It is far superior to any Brand of Hog food on the market to day.
It is guaranteed under the Pure Food and Drugs Act, June 30th,
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Crude Fat 10.00 to 14 per cent
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What Is "Sure Fatten Hog Food"

It is a dark colored granular meal, made from meat residues,
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a balanced ration in most economical and palatable form.

It contains phosphates in proper proportion to insure strength
of bone and frame work. In the corn belt bone development is a
matter of serious consideration.

It is not a substitute for corn, but a small quantity fed in con-
nection with corn or other grains gives a balanced ration.

It is the most economical source of digestible protein known,
containing twice as much protein as oil meal and five times as
much as middlings, shorts, shipstuffs, or alfalfa meal.

TANKAGE is recommended by all leading experiment sta-
tions.

It is packed in one-hundred-pound burlap sack, plainly mark-
ed "SURE FATTEN HOG FOOD," analysis as above.

It is the ideal feed to balance rations.

What "Sure Fatten Hog Food" Tankage Does.

It develops bone and muscle in young pigs and makes them
grow. It matures a hog for market in two and three months
quicker than corn alone, thereby, saving one third of the feed bill,
one third of the labor, one third of the risk, increasing profits one
third.

It grows better proportioned hogs, more meat, and more fat,
hence market-topper hogs. SURE FATTEN HOG FOOD TANK-
AGE fed hogs ship well with small shrink.

While in nowise a medicine, it so fortifies and strengthens the
system against attacks of disease germs that SURE FATTEN HOG
FOOD TANKAGE fed hogs are universally healthy hogs.

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The winter has been unusually mild
thus far, but your fuel needs are about
normal. Beside, there are cold days
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ILLINOIS WOMAN'S COLLEGE
GUILD HOLDS MEETING SATURDAY

Session Held at College is Largely
Attended — Interesting Program
Given.

The February meeting of the Illinois Woman's College Guild was held Saturday afternoon at the Woman's college with a large number of ladies in attendance. In the absence of Mrs. Carpenter, who was detained by illness, Mrs. F. H. Rowe presided.

The secretary's report was made by Miss Jeanette Powell and Mrs. Caroline Hurst Phillips, reported the state of the treasury. Miss Anna Reid, chairman of the membership committee reported four new members. Mrs. Baldwin introduced the question of holding a progressive bazaar at some future date, the proceeds to be used for the benefit of the college library. After some discussion of plans a motion was made and carried that a bazaar be held, the time to be announced later when plans are more fully developed.

Mrs. Pitner also spoke of the need of new books in the library and moved that when the annual report of the treasurer was made at the March meeting, that any balance remaining be donated for this purpose. The motion carried. From the Wesleyan Guild of Bloomington there was read an invitation to the president and members of the I. W. C. guild to attend their annual meeting Monday afternoon, February 4, and Mrs. Lambert and Miss Anna Reid were elected to represent the local society at the meeting.

The program for the afternoon was announced by Mrs. John Ward, who introduced Miss Laura Tanner, who spoke on the subject "The Short Story." Through familiar illustrations Miss Tanner showed that while the modern short story is a new phase in literature, short stories have had their place among many people through the centuries. The new short story is distinct from other forms of literature, from the narrative, the novel, and the drama. Its advantages, requirements, needs and besetting sins were pointed out and special types according to localities, trades, classes and professions were indicated. The American short story has been prominent since the days of Poe, Irving and Hawthorne and through its limitless appeal, its fascination is enduring.

The charming grace with which the subject is developed with the illustrations of its pathos and humor made it a rare pleasure to those present and their rising vote of thanks was tendered Miss Tanner. Liszt's "Gondoliers," was played by Miss Mary Shastid with beautiful effect and Mrs. Paul Thompson closed the program most delightfully by reading Browning's "Court Giesmond."

During the social hour that followed the tea table was presided over by Mrs. A. Baldwin, Mrs. Newman, Mrs. Reaugh, Mrs. McMurphy, Mrs. Wilson and Miss Isabel Baldwin.

The next meeting of the guild will be held Saturday afternoon, March 1.

TO START THINGS UP LIVELY.
WE WILL SELL TOMORROW ONLY
50 DOZ. NEWEST 1913 WASH
DRESSES, LADIES AND MISSES
REGULAR \$2 TO \$3 VALUES.
CHOICE AT 99c AND \$1.48.
STRAUSS' EMPORIUM.

ALEXANDER VISITORS.
Among the visitors in the city yesterday from Alexander were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Corrington and family, George Patterson, J. T. Little, Mrs. Samuel Ruble and Marvin Thompson.

Garland & Co. are offering 50 suits ranging in price from \$16.50 to \$28.50 for \$10.

WATCH REPAIRING.
See Bergschneider for watch and jewelry repairing. All work guaranteed. 203 W. Morgan.

NEW SHIPMENT OF WHITE AND RED KNITTED CAPS. 50c AND \$1.00. MYERS BROS.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE.
Nettie L. Anders by her attorney W. N. Halgrove has filed a suit for divorce from her husband Arthur Anders. They were married May 7, 1903 and lived together until Nov. 1, 1912. Drunkenness is the charge made.

FARM PROFITS DISCUSSED

Agricultural Literature Often Contradictory With Reference to Use of the Word "Profit."

In the multitude of data bearing upon the cost of production of various farm food stuffs, in their original forms, the tendency seems to be to try to reduce these figures to terms of profit with the least possible effort, and in doing this we often err in speaking of the income of the farm in terms of "profit," "net profit," etc., etc., and the fact is there are tens of thousands of farms upon which no profit, in the strict interpretation of the term, is ever produced, and a proper accounting often shows a loss.

A Unique Industry.
As a business institution the farm is unique in that it can, and often does, bear the strain of supporting the proprietor from year to year, while the real cost of production continually exceeds the amount received from the sale of products. This is accounted for by the fact that the farmer is continually selling off his stock of fertility in the form of grain or live stock and forgets to charge the produce with its value, or credit the land (his capital stock) with its loss.

Under such systems of farming as have been practiced on a large majority of Illinois farms, the soil must ultimately suffer and fertility disappear. The process is so slow, however, that generations are reared and pass before the farm is reduced to limited production. On the other hand, land that has long ago reached its maximum of production under the old land-ruin system, can, under the "Illinois System of permanent fertility," within a few years, be made to profitably produce more per acre than it has ever yielded.

Field Not Well Worked.
The determination of the real cost of crops has yet been attempted by the few, and offers the most attractive and the least worked field of agricultural research. We should know what the real cost of a crop is, then we can know more about the actual profits from farming and can reasonably compare them with other business activities.

One of the urgent needs of the new agriculture is the adoption of a simple, comprehensive system of farm accounting.—H. A. McKeene, secretary, Illinois Farmers' Institute

TO LOOK AFTER PROPERTY.
The Illinois college was the recipient of a gift of a tract of land at Keokuk, Ia., in 1868 by Samuel Wolcott, brother of E. Wolcott, who formerly resided here. Harry M. Capps, a trustee of the college, went to Keokuk Saturday on business relative to this property. This property has increased in value quite largely in passing years.

AMERICANS KIDNAPED.
Washington, Feb. 1.—The kidnapping and holding of Americans for ransom continues to be a favorite means for the raising of a Mexican rebel war fund. The latest victim is Robert Ward, now a prisoner in a camp about 18 miles from Chihuahua city.

Consul Letcher says Mr. Ward was seized by eight armed men at Parral Thursday night and hurried into the mountains. A ransom of 5,000 Mexican dollars is demanded for his release.

CLAIMS RIGHT TO WEAR MEN'S CLOTHES.
Chicago, Feb. 1.—Dr. Mary Walker of Washington, D. C., suffragette and woman's right agitator, was arrested by a policeman on the South Side today because she was dressed in men's clothing which she has worn for many years. At the police station Dr. Walker exhibited permission, said to be from the United States congress, for her to wear men's trousers. She was then allowed to depart. No charge was made against her.

PREACHER PLEADS GUILTY TO ARSON CHARGE.
Granite Falls, Minn., Feb. 1.—Rev. Emmanuel Ekeland, former pastor of a church at Madison, Minn., was arraigned before Judge Powers in district court here late today and pleaded guilty to a charge of arson. He was sentenced to an indeterminate term of from one to seven years in the state penitentiary and was taken to Stillwater tonight.

AUTO SHOW OPENS IN CHICAGO.
Chicago, Feb. 1.—The thirteenth annual automobile show opened here today with more than 600 automobiles on exhibition.

The cars range from small family electric runabouts to palaces on wheels valued at \$10,000.

One hundred and two exhibitors have space reserved at the show.

Insurance figures indicate that the cars shown are valued at more than \$3,000,000.

DIPHTHERIA AT ELGIN HOSPITAL.
Elgin, Ill., Feb. 1.—Six cases of diphtheria have made their appearance in the state insane hospital here. Two attendants and four patients are afflicted. Antitoxin has been administered to several hundred patients who have been exposed.

DR. AARON SCHUYLER DEAD.
Salina, Kan., Feb. 1.—Dr. Aaron Schuyler, a professor of mathematics and mental philosophy at Kansas Wesleyan university here, and widely known throughout the county as philosopher, sociologist and educator died here today.

CONFESSION TO MURDER.
Davenport, Ia., Feb. 2.—Floyd Sheets, aged 19, confessed shortly after mid-night to the murder of Ernest Dalldorf, the groceryman who defended d his property against robbery Thursday night. Sheets broke down under a grueling examination of an hour.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Roger C. Sullivan, erstwhile Democratic national committeeman from Illinois, referring to gossip using his name as a candidate for United States senator to day denied any ambition in that line.

FEBRUARY SALE

Our store will be closed
Monday until noon to
mark prices down for
our February Sale.

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

East Side Houseturnishers

HILLERBY'S
ANNIVERSARY SALES

COMES ONCE A YEAR.

Our Third Birthday February 1st

We are going to give you such values for this birthday that you will be glad you came to our party.

10 DAYS
OF GENUINE BARGAIN GIVING

Sale Began Saturday Morning at 9 O'clock
and Ends Thursday, February 12th, at 6 p. m.

You are welcome any day, but as the quantity of these special bargains is limited, you would better come as early as possible.

We are not selling goods at cost, but they cost you much less than most people sell them. It's fortunate buying—some of these goods were bought six months ago. Here's a few of our values. We have a store full.

15c yard for 5-4 Table Oil Cloth all colors, not seconds or thirds but first grade.

10c piece Fine Silk finishing, Braid, German goods, worth 25c piece per 12 yards, all colors.

15c yard Fine Linweaves in plaids and checks. The finest white fabric, washes like linen. 27 inches wide.

20c yard Standard 9-4 Bleached Sheet. You never bought it less than 25c.

59c yard, 50 inch Wool Dress Goods in fine skirting styles—sold at \$1.00 per yard.

10 yards Lonsdale, green ticket muslin for 69c. Less than it costs now.

79c yard for fine 35-inch Black Messaline Silk, while it lasts.

5c yard for thousands of yards of best Calicoes. Assorted colors.

12c can. Mennen's Talcum powder or Graves Tooth powder. You know the usual price.

10c each. Ladies Parcel Carters. The 25c size. A clean up bought all they had.

4c Linen Laces in all widths, worth to 10c yard. The cream of three manufacturers.

75c yard. Fine figured Marquisettes, 40-inches wide, worth \$1.25.

75c yard. New 50-inch Dress Goods, mannish styles, regular \$1.25 goods. See them.

10 yard. Lonsdale finish Cambric for 89c. For skirts and underwear.

5c yard for Warren's Feather Bone in black or white.

10c pair for splendid wearing dress shields. Sizes 2, 3 or 4.

Health Costs Little

It requires but a few minutes each day to fortify the system against such dread diseases as Rheumatism or Bright's Disease.

Impaired action of the kidneys is the forerunner of these two diseases and if prompt and effective treatment is not begun it often means either of the two.

The time required to take a few doses of

NYAL'S

Stone Root Compound

and the cost of a bottle of it is a minor consideration when compared with the misery and expense associated with chronic kidney troubles, Rheumatism and Bright's Disease.

Every Bottle Benefits!

\$1.00 the Bottle.

When we had a chance to get the exclusive selling agency for Nyal Family Remedies we jumped at it. They are known among all druggists as the highest quality line on the market, and are prepared by a great firm of manufacturing chemists, famous for fifty years.

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South West Corner Square,
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Your
Plumbing

Equipment is important. Upon its efficiency may depend the health of your household. Insure the dependability of your equipment by seeking the aid of careful and experienced plumbers. Our service in workmanship and system design is modern and efficient.

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306 E. State. Both Phones 266

KONRAD GOES TO JAIL.

Judge Brockhouse Gives Extreme Penalty to Man Convicted of Violating Local Ordinance Law.

John, alias Waleash Konrad was tried before a jury in the county court on Saturday, Jan. 25, charged with violation of the local opium law and was convicted. His conviction was upon one count, and a motion was made for a new trial on the grounds of an error in the instructions given. The motion was argued last Tuesday. The question raised was taken under consideration by Judge E. P. Brockhouse before whom the trial was held and Saturday decided the question by denying the motion for a new trial. No appeal having been taken to the appellate court, it only remained for the judge to pronounce sentence, which he did, inflicting the full penalty of 30 days in jail and a fine of \$100 and costs. The fine is the maximum for the first offense and it was Konrad's first conviction for the offense. Konrad has been placed in the county jail.

ONLY 5 CENTS A POUND.

Family washing, rough dry, 5c lb., at the Model Laundry, 214 South Sandy street. Both phones.

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Family washing, rough dry, 5c lb., at the Model Laundry, 214 South Sandy street. Both phones.

You should see what Garland & Co. have to hand you in suits for \$10

WINS FIVE PREMIUMS.

Mrs. Allen Franz entered a number of Bull Cochon hantams at a poultry show which was held in Havana, recently and in the fact of hot competition won five premiums.

NOTICE.

We will thoroughly clean and press any ladies' suit, dress or long coat or any man's suit or overcoat for 85c. All work called for and delivered. Phone III. 417; Bell 419. A. L. Bromley, 315 West State, St.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral services for Mrs. M. H. Carter will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the late residence, 921 West State street, in charge of Rev. L. H. Davis, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church. Interment will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

SMOKE THE

KENWOOD

Jacksonville's Best 5c Cigar.

Cleaning Up. Cleaning Up of all Winter Merchandise.

The winter season is about half over, but the real winter weather has only fairly begun, and, lucky for every buyer for winter goods, for that. While the public generally is howling about high cost of living, we are trying to help put that high cost down by giving you winter merchandise that you need now, at cost and less, that we may have that cash to put into spring goods. Don't wait; come now

WOOL, RED BLANKETS.

Good big size, all wool, half wool, and wool nap; every blanket at a reduction of 25 to 33 1-3 per cent.

\$4.50	and \$5.50 all wool Blankets, white, gray and tan, for
\$3.50	wool filled Blankets, for
\$3.50	wool knapped, extra good for
\$2.50	home made Bed Comforters

WINTER COATS AT HALF PRICE AND LESS.

To clean up our winter coats, Ladies, Miss or Child, a full line of sizes if you come at once. With large variety of cloth to choose from. Every coat this season's model put at prices that you can't help but buy to finish out this winter season.

Just 23 Fancy Coats of all description, put in one big lot. Coats that were sold for \$15 to \$20. At one price \$6.98

Childrens and Misses Coats, ages 4 to 18. Good warm winter coats, in Chinchilla, Boucles, Fancy Coatings, Caracules, Etc. The largest assortment you can find in this city to choose from. Price varying from \$2.50 to \$6.50. Former prices were just double.

WINTER UNDERWEAR AT FINAL CLEAN-UP PRICES.

Ladies' 50c vest or pants, bleached, fine ribbed and fleeced, the best value we ever offered at 50c, all sizes, 34 to 44. Final clean-up price

Women's and Misses Union Suits.

\$1.50	women's bleached union suits	\$1.19	50c misses' and children's union suits	40c
\$1.00	women's bleached union suits	.85c	25c misses' and children's union suits	19c
75c	women's bleached union suits	.65c	50c men's heavy fleeced underwear, shirts or drawers, good winter weight	40c
50c	women's cream union suits	40c	25c boys' fleeced shirts or drawers	19c

Children's fleeced underwear two complete lines full bleached or grey vests and pants in sizes 16 to 34. Final clearing prices. Sizes 16, 18, 20, 12 1-2c; sizes 22, 24, 26, 17 1-2c; sizes 28, 30, 32, 34, 25c.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT—Any trimmed Hat in our hat department priced up to \$10, now for half.

Floreth's Dry Goods Store

The values are sample copies. The rest await you every day this week.

SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

Favorable Shoe Buying in Children's Shoes

Shoe up the children now. Most children can use a pair of shoes now to bide them over until slipper time. It is a great opportunity to buy good shoes for the children at a small cost.

A lot of shoes of good quality, styles good, all sizes, just right for school and hard wear, mostly lace, priced according to sizes:

49c, 69c and 98c

A special lot of shoes for little gents, in all leathers, lace styles, now to clean up at **98c** only.....

Let Us Fit the Children Now.



\$1.50 Bargains

Special lots we clean up now at this price.

HOPPERS

\$2.50 Bargains

A great opportunity for men or women, splendid values.

BURGLARY AT LITTLE INDIAN.

Store of W. J. James Entered and Robbers Secure \$27.

While Miss Minnie James was at supper Friday evening burglars entered the general merchandise store of her father, at Little Indian, and after securing \$27 from the cash drawer made their escape. Mr. James was in Virginia on business.

Entrance was effected by prying up one of the windows and nothing excepting the money was taken. Mr. James is the postmaster at Little Indian and he is of the opinion that local parties did the work, from the fact that the postoffice safe was undisturbed. The matter was reported to the sheriff of Cass county and the postal authorities.

WINTER COATS, WORTH FROM \$10 UP TO \$25. CHOICE \$6.98. SEE WINDOW. ALL SUITS WORTH \$15 UP TO \$22.50. CHOICE AT \$8. BARGAINS IN FURS AND WINTER MILLINERY. SPRING GOODS TO ARRIVE SOON.

STRAUSS' EMPORIUM.

SECOND SEMESTER OPENS FEB 4

Now is a good time to enroll for regular or special work at the Woman's college, beginning Feb. 4. Enrollment days, February 1 and 3.

Basketball, Illinois vs. Shurtleff college, Wednesday night, Feb. 5.

NEWS FORECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—The second trial of the criminal anti-trust suit against the "bath tub trust" will begin in the United States district court at Detroit Monday. At the first trial of the case the jury disagreed. The government delayed the retrial until the supreme court decided the civil case against the trust. That decision, recently rendered, compels the dissolution of the combination of sixteen corporations and sixty-four individuals engaged in the manufacture of enameled ironware.

Utilization of the parcels post and the taking of steps which will enable the retailers to meet the competition of the big mail order houses will be discussed at a convention of retail dry goods and general merchants of the entire west, which will meet in Chicago Monday for a session of four days.

Other important conventions of the week will include the meetings of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, in Indianapolis; the National Association of Ladies' Tailors and Dressmakers, in New York city; the Hardwood Manufacturers' association of the United States, in Cincinnati, and the International Association of Master House Painters and Decorators, in Denver.

Preceding the beginning of Lent, the first two days of the week will be devoted to the annual Mardi Gras celebrations in New Orleans and in several other cities of the south.

The season of social functions at the English court will be ushered in Tuesday with the holding of the first levee at St. James' Palace. Three days later the first diplomatic and official court reception will take place at Buckingham Palace.

Two notable weddings of an international character are scheduled for the week. The first will take place in Paris on Monday, when Miss Helena Stallo, who inherited half of the immense fortune left by her grandfather, the late Alexander McDonald of Cincinnati and New York, will become the bride of Prince Michel Murat, a nephew of the ex-Empress Eugenie.

The second wedding will be that of Miss Eleanor Douglas Wise, daughter of Mrs. Frederick May Wise of Baltimore, and the Duc de Richelieu, whose mother, now the wife of Prince Albert of Monaco, was Miss Alice Helne of New Orleans. The wedding ceremony will be performed Saturday noon in the Baltimore cathedral, Cardinal Gibbons officiating.

PASSED WITH HIGH MARK.

Miss Josephine Ross, who will graduate this June in the home economic department of the Woman's college has received word that she passed the civil service examination for domestic science teacher in the Indian training school. Miss Ross was 20th highest in the grade of all the young ladies who took the examination in the United States.

TWO FIRE ALARMS.

The fire department received two calls Saturday, the first to the residence of W. J. Olroyd, 1227 Park Place, where a fire burned out. The second was to the corner of West Lafayette avenue and Boardway alley, where the roof had caught fire. A hole about six feet square was burned, and the blaze was extinguished with the chemical.

GROUND HOG DAY.

Today is ground hog day and the time when the future weather is forecasted. If the little critter sees his shadow today he will hike back into his hole and sleep for six weeks, and bad weather will result. Spring is destined to come early if ground hog day is dark and cloudy.

ON BUYING TRIP.

Sam Strauss, proprietor of the Emporium, left last night for New York, where he will spend a week buying goods in preparation for the spring opening which the store will have shortly after his return.

SHOTS HEAD OFF.

Winchester, Ill., Feb. 1.—The second suicide of the week in Scott county occurred Saturday morning when Joseph W. Wade of Glasgow, aged 70 years, shot off his head with a shot gun at his home in that city. The deceased leaves six children.

"RECONSTRUCTION OF A LOST COMEDY OF CRATINUS"

Prof. R. H. Tanner Presents Interesting Subject Before the Classical Club.

The Classical club was the guest of Miss Jeanette Reed at Academy hall Saturday night. There was a full attendance and two new members were voted into the society, Miss Russell and Miss Stella Cole. The address of the evening was by Prof. R. H. Tanner, who took for his subject "The Reconstruction of a Lost Comedy by Cratinus."

The paper was an attempt to reconstruct an old play of Cratinus entitled "Odysseus." The title is the plural of Odysseus and means Odysseus and his twelve companions. The play deals with the visit of Odysseus to the cave of Polyphemus and adventures connected therewith.

In all Greek literature there are sixteen scattered references to this comedy, comprising twenty-two verses and a few odd words. By a careful comparison of these few lines with the ninth book of Homer's Odyssey and Euripides Satyr drama, the Cyclops, it was possible to show that the Cratinus play, while closely modeled after Homer was also a caricature of the Cyclops of Euripides. This made it possible to form a clear idea of the content and arrangement of the Odysseus and to assign the sixteen fragments to their probable places in the play.

ANY SOILED LINGERIE OR SHIRTWAIST IN OUR STOCK WORTH UP TO \$2.50. NOW ON SALE FOR 50c TO CLEAN UP. AT HERMAN'S.

COMING TO THE GRAND

The critic on the Milwaukee "Sentinel" says of "The Shepherd of the Hills," the dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's famous novel, which has been made into a play by its author with the assistance of Elsbey W. Reynolds.

"Those who love a quiet, restful story will rejoice in 'The Shepherd of the Hills.' It is like a beautiful October afternoon, with the calm and beauty of summer, tempered by the cold breadth of the yet distant winter."

"The Shepherd of the Hills" will be the attraction at the grand on Tuesday Feb. 4th.

CHOICE OF ANY MACKINAW COATS, \$5.50. MYERS BROS.

WITH THE SICK.

John Davis of East College street is able to be out after being confined to his home by illness for a week.

Riley, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Alkire of East College avenue, is reported ill with measles.

James H. Butler, who has been ill for the past few weeks, is able to be out and expects to resume his duties at his barber shop on East State street.

J. A. Boston of East College avenue is very ill at the home of his son, W. E. Boston, on Hardin Ave. Mrs. Henry Scott, who resides northeast of the city and who has been ill for two weeks is able to be around again.

M. C. Cleary and L. H. Jackman of Okemah, Okla., are business callers in the city, buying high grade hosiery.

Herman Cohen is a business visitor in Chicago.

Our store will be closed Monday until noon to mark prices down for February sale.

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie.

OPENED AT NEW STAND.

Alfred Larson, the well known tailor, is again in business, his establishment being at 223 N. Main street. He has in stock an excellent line of suitings and he can guarantee custom made clothes of superior workmanship at very fair prices. Repair work is also given attention and prompt and satisfactory service are assured. Mr. Larson until about one year since had been in business here for a long period and his many friends and the public generally will be glad to know that he is again ready to care for any orders given him. You are cordially invited to call.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

Officers Will Be Chosen and Work of the Organization Formerly Launched.

According to the new by-laws the first annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held next Tuesday evening at 7:30 sharp in the Armory. This is the most important meeting of the year as it is the beginning of the work of an organization which has taken on new life.

The Secretary had the pleasure during the past week of representing this organization of the Good Road Convention held in Springfield. He asked a number of business men to accompany him, but they were unable to attend.

A great many other commercial clubs sent large delegations and they showed much interest. Peoria had sixty live wires and they were everywhere at the same time, talking and boosting Peoria. The small town of Litchfield had twenty delegates wearing buttons and badges which were a great advertisement of the character of business men. Jacksonville had but four men there, and three of them were delegates to the Drainage convention which was held at the same time.

The first big step toward arousing community spirit will be by coming out to the meeting on Tuesday night.

Secretary Fritchey said yesterday, "Is it not about time that we renew some of our obligations to our home city and by means of organized effort work for her future welfare? We have all propounded various well sounding theories on what is the matter with this old town of ours, but the trouble lies with ourselves. We can talk to our hearts content but no city or private business ever grew on wind."

The Jeffries Band are donating their services Monday night and the bands action should be appreciated. Other features of the entertainment are but side issues to the all important one of electing competent men as officers of the organization for the coming year. You will have much to regret if you are not present.

Dance Wednesday night, Degen's hall, Union music, O. H. Spaulding.

SECOND SEMESTER OPENS FEB 4

Now is a good time to enroll for regular or special work at the Woman's college, beginning Feb. 4. Enrollment days, February 1 and 3.

Garland & Co. are having a special suit and overcoat sale.

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KENWOOD

To day, sweet and mild.



Here's a bright new array of Spring Shirts.

New patterns and colorings. Cut full size and fast colors. This week you will see a big window full on display. Unusual good values. Any size, any style.

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MYERS BROTHERS.

Interwoven Hose

One-Fourth Size Collars

The Always Welcome February Semi-Annual Sale of Good Housefurnishings.

Here's the selling event of the year in this store. High Grade House-Furnishings.

This Semi-Annual Sale is an event which has been built up step by step—year by year.

It is a sale which has grown steadily because quality has ever been its keynote—because the Furniture, etc., in this sale is the same kind of furniture as is carried in this store's regular stocks day in and day out. It is Furniture so constructed as to give many years of service. And so this February Sale.

So great in variety, thoroughly Unapproachable in Quality, and Surely in a Class by Itself, as far as Economy is concerned, should be your Sale.

This Sale began Saturday, February 1st, and lasts until Saturday night, February 22d, and every one who has a home, or hopes to have one in the near future, will do well to profit by this Sale. Furniture, etc., purchased during this Sale will be held for future delivery if desired.

Every Floor, Every Section a Bargain Center.

ANDRE & ANDRE

This Is Your Sale. Are You Coming?

TAYLOR'S

GROCERY

A Good Place to Trade

TUESDAY, FEB. 4th,

we will be located in our new store room. No expense has been spared to plan and equip a strictly sanitary grocery. Everything new, clean and bright for you.

TUESDAY MORNING

Fish

A complete line, including Halibut Chunks, Finnan Haddie, Soaked Salmon, Bloaters, White Fish, Cod Fish, Herring.

FRESH VEGETABLES

FRANK'S QUALITY SAUSAGE

JONES' DAIRY FARM SAUSAGE AND SLICED BACON

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